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QUESTIONS OF SILVER.

Committees Appointed by the Chicago Convention—A Permanent Organization Formed.

Views of Representative Springer and Other Politicians on Tariff and Other Matters.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—The general committee elected by the silver convention met today at the Palmer House and effected permanent organization by electing General A. J. Warner, of Ohio, president, and Geo. F. Washburn, of Boston, general secretary. Col. A. C. Fisk, of Colorado, and H. E. Taubeneck, of Illinois, were made honorary members of the committee. The committee on ways and means was elected, consisting of General A. J. Warner, of Ohio; Hon. Dennis Sheedy, Colorado; C. B. Matthews, New York; W. A. Clark, Montana; C. E. Allen, Utah; J. L. Johnson, Virginia; and Geo. V. Bryan, Idaho. The following committee on propaganda were appointed: Hon. J. S. Dougherty, Texas; Col. A. C. Fiske, Colorado; Ignatius Donnelly, Minnesota; I. T. Dean, New York; E. D. Stark, Ohio; and Governor R. F. Kolb, Alabama. Addresses were delivered by Congressman Bryan, of Idaho, and other silver advocates, and it was decided that officials of the general committee, together with members of the sub committee should meet in Washington next Tuesday. They will probably remain there until the close of the session of Congress.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Representative Springer, of Illinois, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee in the last Congress, was at the Capital to-day. His opinion is that Congress will not be in session for more than a week or ten days during this month. In that time he thought the much talked of clause in the Sherman Act could be repealed. The Ways and Means Committee could be empowered to draft a tariff bill for submission to Congress, when it convened, which should be some time in October. As to the tariff it would be impossible for the Ways and Means Committee to do justice to the subject. While the House was in constant session, there were too many disturbing elements, and the surroundings were not favorable for wise and safe legislation. But, if the committee was empowered to prepare a bill and was allowed to go to some quiet place on the sea shore, and pursue its labors unmolested, the result would be a satisfactory bill.

Touching the course of the Ways and Means committee in dealing with the tariff, Mr. Springer said it would doubtless report on a general tariff bill instead of a series of specific bills. That policy had done good service last congress, but the time was now at hand when the Democratic party must redeem its pledges and reform the entire tariff system. To do this would not involve any radical change in the rules of the House. Mr. Springer believes that the majority can always reach an expression of its will through the committee on rules, which can bring in a special rule to fit each case as it arises. Mr. Springer had not seen Mr. Crisp, so he did not say anything respecting the composition of the committee or his own place upon them.

"If the President parts company with the Chicago platform, I believe his party will part company with him," were the significant words uttered by representative Oates, this afternoon, as he discussed the situation. "The Chicago platform, which the people endorsed in such thundering tones last November, calls for the repeal of the Sherman law, and the maintenance of gold and silver as money upon a parity. Any scheme which contemplates the abandonment of silver is against the principles set by the Chicago convention and will not be tolerated. There can, in my opinion, be no unconditional repeal of the Sherman law. If the President has set out to repeal the Sherman act without offering anything in its place, he has set up a platform not in accordance with that upon which he went before the people." Mr. Oates looks for the repeal of the Sherman law, with a condition that will provide for the free coinage of silver at an increased ratio.

Senator George came in to-day from Georgia and takes a rather cheerful view of the situation in the South. He believes there will be money for his people to move their crops, and that, with the movement of cotton, easier times will result, so far as the silver question is concerned. The Senator plants himself upon the platform, he says, upheld in his time in the Senate, and says he is a friend of silver and has not changed his views one whit.

Senator Squire, of Washington, is one of the few Western senators who takes the ground that the President should be allowed to deal with the silver question, in his own discretion, and he believes that it would be good policy for Congress to pass a joint resolution permitting the President to suspend the operation of the silver purchase portion of the Sherman law, in his discretion.

Mr. Bland, the champion of free coinage, arrived to-day and was seen in consultation with three members of his faith who are in the city. He said the friends of silver had agreed upon no plan of campaign, other than that they were opposed to the repeal of the Sherman law, unless they were first given the free coinage of silver. Mr. Bland, in speaking of the ratio, said he saw no reason to change that now in force, so far as the possibility of repeal was concerned. Mr. Bland was emphatic in his declaration that the unconditional repeal of the purchasing act could not be accomplished in either House.

THE SITUATION.

Meeting in London to Discuss Financial and Commercial Matters as Affected by the Silver Issue.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—A meeting was held to-day at the Mansion house to consider the financial and business situation. Lord Mayor Sir Stuart Knill presided. The gathering was largely attended. Among those present were Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, Right Hon. Henry Chaselin, formerly president of the board of agriculture; Right Hon Sir John Lubbock, of Robarts, Lubbock & Co., bankers; Hon. Thos. F. Bayard, American ambassador to Great Britain; Dr. Daniel Horton and most of the leading bankers of London. Mr. Balfour disclaimed political motives for being present, and referred to the anxiety felt throughout the world in connection with the currency changes in India and the action that might be taken by the United States Government. The gold standard, Mr. Balfour declared, would never satisfy commercial wants, while a double standard alone could prevent dangerous oscillations in trade. He condemned isolated action on the part of individual states and recommended an international agreement fixing the ratio of value between gold and silver. In the course of his address Mr. Balfour denied that advocates of bimetallism aimed at an inflation of the currency. This might be true, he said, of some bimetallists connected with the western league of America, but it did not apply to the bimetallists of Europe, who believe the adoption of bimetallism would prove the safest commercial policy. In the event of a European war the debt standard would, according to Mr. Balfour, be found very advantageous. The meeting adopted a vote of thanks to Mr. Balfour for his address.

FRANCE IN SIAM.

Nothing Yet Done Towards Raising the Blockade—Considerable Anxiety Manifested.

The French Gunboat "Lion" Steams Down on H. M. "Pallas"—Her Captain's Apology.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—A dispatch from Bangkok, dated Thursday night, says: "Nothing has been done yet to carry out the presumed instructions to the French officials to raise the blockade, and residents are still very anxious. The opinion is that Rear Admiral Humann is receiving orders through Saigon, where the forward party is delaying in the hope that events may enable France to increase her demands."

The Bangkok correspondent of the Times telegraphs as follows: By Admiral Humann's command, the captain of the French gunboat Lion has made an unreserved apology to Capt. McLeod, of the British cruiser Pallas, for having steamed down with a crew at quarters and guns out upon the Pallas, which was lying outside the blockade line. Capt. McLeod's prudence and coolness alone averted an armed conflict. This and another similar instance of the Lion's conduct justified the Pallas in preparing to avoid being taken at a disadvantage.

VALUE OF SECURITIES.

Mr. Gladstone Makes a Noncommittal Statement as to Their Alleged Decline.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—In the House of Commons to-day, Sir Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett, Conservative member for the Ecclesall division of Sheffield, asked the Government whether since the stoppage of the free coining of silver in India, there had been, as stated, a depreciation in the value of securities held in England to the amount of £130,000,000, whether the supply of gold was not insufficient to the monetary requirements of trade, and what measure the Government proposed to take to avert a financial crisis.

Prime Minister Gladstone replied that he did not know how to ascertain the truth of the assertion that a decline to the amount mentioned had taken place in the value of securities held in England. He did not believe that the supply of gold was insufficient for trade requirements, and he could not announce measures to avert a crisis that he did not believe would occur.

LORD ABERDEEN.

His Speech at a Banquet in His Honor—Canadian Energy—Benefits of British Connection.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—Some of the leading citizens of Aberdeen gave a banquet this evening to the Earl of Aberdeen, the new Governor-General of Canada. The Earl, in a speech, dilated upon the energy with which the Canadians had built up their institutions. This energy was all the more creditable, he said, seeing that Canada's nearest neighbor was her powerful, but friendly sister nation, the United States—a nation which had great wealth and a vast population, and which enjoyed special facilities for rapid progress. Canada, he added, understood and would prove the advantage of steady and safe, if gradual, advancement. She also understood and appreciated the benefits arising from autonomy, combined with a vital, but absolutely unhampering connection with the British empire.

CHOLERA IN FRANCE.

It is Epidemic in Marseilles and False Official Returns Have Been Made Regarding It.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—According to the Lancet, the well known English medical weekly, cholera has been epidemic in Marseilles for the last three months. The local officials, it asserts, have carried their policy of deception to such a length that even the Government has been led astry in regard to the real state of affairs. The prefecture now admits that there have been 601 deaths from cholera in Marseilles since the middle of May. Several days twenty deaths were recorded, and on Saturday last the mortality went up twenty-five. During the last four weeks there have been 624 deaths from cholera throughout France.

STAMPING OUT PHYLLOXERA.

Italian Peasants Forcibly Resist the Action of the Government to This End.

ROME, Aug. 3.—The efforts of the Government to stamp out phylloxera in Northern Italy have led to serious conflicts with the peasants. The Minister of Agriculture, with the view of stopping the ravages of the pest, recently ordered the destruction of vineyards covering a large area in the Province of Novare. The peasants losing employment through these steps took violent measures. A number of them were injured by the police and arrested. Troops have been sent to the scene of the disturbance.

John Bull ranges at Cheapside. •

CAPITAL NOTES.

Sale of Part of the Thousand Islands—Trade Between Canada and Australia.

Dominion Rifle Association Matches—The Esquimalt Fortifications—C Battery's Marching Orders.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Aug. 3.—Thursday next is the day for the sale by auction of a portion of the Thousand Islands in the St. Lawrence, held in trust by the Dominion government for the Missassauga Indians. The intention was not to sell the whole of the Islands, which number over 900, but about two-thirds, in order to allow the question of preserving a portion as a public park to be settled. It has been decided to place 350 under the hammer. These will consist mostly of small islands.

The Department of Agriculture received to-day five cases of arrowroot from Australia, brought out by the Warrimoo on her initial trip. As an experiment, local grocers will be asked to distribute it with a view of testing its quality. Mr. Huddart has decided to dispatch the steamers from Vancouver on the 16th of the month hereafter, in place of the 14th, which will give the vessels two days longer in Canada. No change will be made in the date of sailing from Sydney.

Col. Bacon, secretary of the D. R. A., has written General Moore and Admiral Hopkins, at Halifax, inviting them on behalf of the Executive committee of the Association to send men under their command to participate in the forthcoming matches. It is some years since the Ottawa meet was honored by representatives of both the Army and Navy.

General Herbert goes to Goderich on Saturday, to consult the Minister of Militia with reference to the Esquimalt fortifications.

It is expected that "C" Battery will receive definite marching orders to come East at an early date.

Alf. Geddes, of the post office department, has been appointed Superintendent of the dog exhibit at the World's Fair.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Parliamentary Prohibition Convention.

OWEN SOUND, Aug. 3.—The convention of the Advanced Prohibition party, held here, passed a resolution favoring a convention to nominate Prohibition candidates for the Federal and Provincial Parliaments.

Hongkong Via Vancouver.

TORONTO, Aug. 3.—Capt. Boyes, R.N., commodore of the Hongkong dockyard, has left for Vancouver, whence he proceeds to Hongkong.

Local Legislature Nomination.

ST. THOMAS, Aug. 3.—C. A. Bowes, ex-reeve of Yarmouth, has accepted the Conservative nomination to the Local Legislature for the east riding of Elgin.

Orange Grand Lodge.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Aug 3.—The Grand Orange Lodge of British America has elected the following officers: Grand Master, N. Clark Wallace; Deputy Grand Master, E. F. Clarke; Grand Lecturer, Jas. Kelly, of St. John, N. B.; Deputy Grand Chaplain, Robert Bell, Vancouver. Grand Lodge appropriated $500 for the Ulster Union fund, and on motion the Secretary was instructed to forward a circular to each private lodge and solicit subscriptions for the Union.

Senator Montgomery.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Aug. 3.—The late Senator Montgomery, who died on Sunday, was in public life continuously for 55 years. He was 85 years of age, and was first returned to the Local Legislature in 1838.

Drowned While Bathing.

ROSSEAU, July 3.—Miss Fleming, of Brampton, was drowned yesterday while bathing with a friend at Yarrbum islands near Cleveland, Lake Rosseau.

MONTREAL MATTERS.

Christian Endeavor Convention Shortage—Cotton Mills Still Running—Well-Known Architect Dead.

MONTREAL, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Aside from the claims of hotels and boarding-houses which failed to receive their expected lodgers, the shortage in connection with the recent Christian Endeavor convention will be about $3,500.

The report that the Canada Cotton and Stormont mills, belonging to the Canada Colored Cotton Mills Co., were closed down is untrue. These mills are running full time.

Architect John James Brown died at his home at 4:10 this morning. Death resulted from an accident caused by a runaway in November last.

The mutinous sailor, Charles Meekin, was tried before Judge Dugas this morning on the charge of committing an aggravated assault upon James Fairweather, captain of the steamer State of Alabama, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

NAVAL MANŒUVRES.

The British Admiralty Brings Them to an Early and Unexpected Conclusion.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—The Admiralty has ordered that the naval manœuvres case at six o'clock on Friday evening. The order has caused general surprise, as it had been arranged that the manœuvres should last until ten o'clock on Monday night. The reason is not given. It is assumed, however, that the Admiralty regards the encounter of last week in the Irish sea as having determined the success or failure of the scheme of operations.

Strong nerves, sweet sleep, good appetite, healthy digestion, and best of all, PURE BLOOD, are given by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Carpenter tools at Cheapside. ‡

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Clearing the Right of Way of the Fraser Valley Railway.

Salmon Run Falling Off Very Suddenly—Earthquake at Cape Beale.

[Special to the COLONIST.]

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Aug 3.—The contract for clearing on the Burrard Inlet and Fraser Valley railway, between Vancouver and New Westminster, will be completed shortly, and the contract between New Westminster and Langley let.

Lieut.-Colonel Holmes has written to the council, stating that he has forwarded the plans of the proposed reservoir in Stanley park to the Militia department, with a favorable recommendation.

A case of destitution was discovered here yesterday—a sick wife, whose husband is in Victoria looking for work; a child with a broken arm, and a landlord peremptorily demanding back rent. Messrs O'Rourke and Jervis started a subscription, and a handsome sum was realized in half a day.

Mrs. Sillitoe, president of the Diocesan Orphanage, is arranging a permanent sewing class and advancing other enterprises in aid of the Orphanage.

Dr. McFarlane, member of the Senate of Toronto University, and Mrs. McFarlane, left here yesterday for Victoria and San Francisco.

The Sunday schools of the Princess street, Homer street and Mount Pleasant Methodist churches had their outing yesterday.

The audience at the Vancouver Opera House on Wednesday afternoon attended by special invitation from Manager Goldsmid, to witness a private performance of the Nippon company of Japanese Jugglers, who arrived by the last Empress. The company are remarkably clever, some of their feats being new and unique.

The steamer Lois ran aground on a sand bank coming into False creek, yesterday.

The B. C. Pioneer Stevedoring Company are said to have done some record breaking in loading the Norwegian bark Fortune with lumber at Hastings.

Tug Holyoak towed the British bark Gainsborough into port yesterday, seventeen days from San Francisco. Capt. McPhail, her master, has not been here for five years, and marvels at the change in Vancouuer. The Gainsborough will load lumber at Moodyville.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Aug. 3.—E. Graham, a Port Neville logger, accused of holding-up Joseph King and robbing him of $40, has been arrested by Constable Julien and brought to this city. He denies the robbery, and says he and another man searched King, who was suspected of stealing a watch.

It is well worth noting that in every case of diphtheria which has occurred in this city this year the families infected used well water and not the city supply from Coquitlam lake. Some of the doctors say that every well in the city should be filled in. The doctors also say that since the city service has come into more general use typhoid fever has almost disappeared. The city water service is now supplied to 630 dwellings, stores and factories, and new applications are being received daily. The estimated revenue of the water department for the present year is $10,000, and it is expected the service will be self-supporting in five years.

The salmon catch last night was very disappointing to the fishermen and canners, the average to the boat not exceeding forty. The packing establishments have not received a sufficient number of fish for three days to keep them running at their ordinary capacity, and some of the managers have advanced the price of fish from 7 to 8 cents in hopes of getting a larger supply Humpbacks have made their appearance in the river; but not in any number so far.

The marriage of Dr. C. J. Fagan to Alice Clair, second daughter of John S. Clute, collector of customs, took place last evening at the family residence. Although only relatives and friends of the bride and groom were present, the company was by no means a small one. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Thomas Scouler, and the bride was given away by her father. Miss Connie Clute and Miss Walker were the bridesmaids. Dr. Walkem was best man, and J. S. Clute, jr., also supported the groom. Little Misses Annie and Helen Clute, sisters of the bride, acted as maids of honor, while the office of usher was filled by Masters Charlie Major and Bryce Brown. The happy couple will spend their honeymoon in the old country.

CAPE BEALE.

CAPE BEALE, Aug. 3.—On Sunday afternoon about 3 o'clock, this portion of Vancouver Island was startled by a slight shock of earthquake, lasting about five seconds.

Light Keeper Cox and Mrs. Cox are laid up with a severe attack of la grippe. There is, however, no report of Indians having been attacked by it.

CORRIGAN'S CASE STATED.

Papal Authority Defied—Satolli Taken to Task—Dr. McGlynn More of a Politician Than a Priest.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—An article under the signature of "A Catholic American" that appeared in the Sun has caused considerable gossip in Catholic church circles, as well as throughout the city generally. It is intended as a defence of Archbishop Corrigan. It is in reality a defiance of the papal authority, accompanied by a threat of cutting off financial aid and ultimately of secession from Rome. Archbishop Satolli, papal ablegate, is himself taken to task for the manner in which he restored excommunicated Father McGlynn, while even the Pope is practically charged with interference of the worst kind. The character of Rev. Dr. Edward McGlynn is assailed from every standpoint, and it is stated in the broadest possible language that instead of being a priest he should have been a politician. The open defiance of Rome and the implied threat to cut off revenue from the archdiocese was read with amazement. The writer of the article tells of the manner in which the decrees of the propaganda at Rome were always accepted by Archbishop Corrigan, and then points out the changed condition of affairs under the new regime, when, regardless of the propaganda, Archbishop Satolli, "deputy pope," as the writer styled him, does as he pleases without consultation with the bishops whose territory he enters upon and whose decisions he reverses. Then he comes to the point evidently deemed best of all, the failure of Archbishop Corrigan to receive the Cardinal's hat. This, the "Catholic American" credits to the opposition and meddling of Dr. McGlynn, Archbishop Satolli and others. The writer has this to say of the suggested separation of the Catholic church in this country from Rome itself:

"Does the great change that I have been considering mean more than has been announced? Does it mean permanent separation of the government of the Catholic church in this country from the control of Rome? If this is so, should it not be more a representative change, and should not the constituency be heard in the choice of their new ruler?"

Then comes the concluding paragraph. Up to this time the letter seems to have been inspired by some one high in authority, but the last sentences seem to have been put on by the writer himself as a cracker to the whip, which somebody else had placed in his hands. He says:

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RECIPROCITY IN WRECKING

The Conveniences of the Act Which Has Just Been Brought Into Effect.

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The provisions of the "Reciprocity in Wrecking" arrangements which has now come into force by proclamations of the Canadian and United States governments are very simple, yet they cover all points necessary by allowing American tugs or steamers to render aid to vessels wrecked in Canadian waters contiguous to the United States. On the other side, Canadian vessels are allowed the same privilege. Exactly how the act will work is not yet known in Victoria, Collector of Customs A. R. Milne not having received any official advice of it, but this he expects to have in course of a short time, possibly within the next few days. Victoria will, it is expected, be materially benefited by the new arrangement, and the convenience to a great many shipping men will be considerable, besides which it will result in the saving of expense in some cases. It is quite possible that the operation of the law may be tried in course of the next few weeks right at Victoria, as when the next attempt is made to raise the San Pedro it may be necessary to bring over a large American tug to give greater steam power. The main portion of the steam now obtained is from the tug Lorne, which will have to go ahead, however, when the ship is raised, to tow her into harbor. There were seven other tugs employed, and these may be sufficient with the addition of the steamer Joan, which may possibly be available at the time; otherwise one of the big Port Townsend tugs may have to be called into service.

An interesting point in connection with the Reciprocity in Wrecking and Salving act is found in the conditions under which the act was passed. Year after year valuable vessels had been lost on the Great Lakes, along the St. Clair river, and also along the St. Lawrence, and simply because there was no such arrangement as has now been made, a tug which happened to be near at hand could not render any assistance, just because it happened to be registered under a different flag. The attention of Parliament was called to this injustice time and again, the chief movers in the matter being G. W. Taylor, M.P. for Leeds, and Col. Kirkpatrick, now lieutenant governor of Ontario. Various bills were introduced in the Commons to deal with the question and provide a solution of the difficulty, but these were all, unfortunately, unsuccessful until the Government came to an understanding with the Government of the United States, by which there was to be reprocity in wrecking. As a result of this the Canadian Act was passed in 1892 with a clause inserted that it should come into force on the publication of a proclamation to that effect by the Governor-General-in-Council. Early this year the necessary Order-in-Council was passed, but it was not until a few days ago that the United States Government took a similar action. The benefits which will accrue are believed to be general, and will, it is said, be as much felt on the Pacific and Atlantic seaboards as on the interior rivers and lakes, and what loss of business may result in one way will, it is expected, be made up in another.

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H. E. WARD.
Dated this 1st day of August, 1893. au1-30t

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the matter of the "Quieting Titles Act" and of the "Land Registry Act,"
and
In the matter of Part of Section LX, Victoria District.

Notice is hereby given that by the order of the Honourable Henry P. Pellew Crease, a Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in the above matter, dated the 28th day of July, 1893, upon the application of Robert Day, Junior, and James Henry White, it was ordered and declared that the said Robert Day, Junior, is the legal owner in fee, and the said James Henry White the beneficial owner in possession of the lands, tenements and hereditaments forming part of Section LX, Victoria District, more particularly set forth and described in the map or plan thereof prepared by J. H Gray, P.L.S., dated July, 1893, and filed in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, No. 522, subject as is in the said order set forth. And it was further ordered that unless a statement of adverse claim to the said lands be filed in the Office of the Registrar of this Honourable Court within one calendar month from the first publication of notice of this application as directed in the said order, a declaration as above of the title of the said Robert Day, Junior and James Henry White do issue.

Dated this 31st day of July, A D 1893,
E. E. WOOTTON,
Board of Trade Building, Victoria,
au3-1m Solicitor for the Applicants.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that we, the undersigned, the Executors of the Estate of the late Catherine Hotz, will apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for a transfer of the license to sell wines and liquors by retail on the premises known as the Colonist Hotel, on Simcoe street, in the City of Victoria, to Charles Murisset, of said city.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 1893.
H. B. W. AIKMAN,
GEORGE STELLY, JR.,
Executors of the Estate of Catherine Hotz, deceased. au3-1m

NOTICE

I hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Court, at its next sitting for a transfer to Elizabeth Martin of City of Victoria, of my license to sell wines and liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Grove Saloon, situate on the corner of Catherine and Frederick streets, on Lot 28, Block F, Victoria City, as shown on map No. 14 filed in the Land Registry Office.

Dated this 1st day of August, 1893.
au3-1m THOMAS MELROSE.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria, I shall apply for a transfer of the saloon license for the premises situated on 48 Johnson street, known as the King's Head Saloon, in the said City of Victoria, to White & Sloan, of the said city.
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The Annexation Problem—Ex-Premier Parker Insolvent—Leprosy Only Slightly Contagious.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3.—The following advices arrived by steamer from Hawaii, yesterday :—

A few minutes before the Australia sailed from Honolulu on July 19, a number of prominent royalists met Claus Spreckels in the captain's cabin, and through Charles Creighton, presented him with a cane, upon the gold handle of which was engraved the following inscription: "Ave Clause. Morituri to salutant, in memoriam, from your fellow-citizens, doomed to die at the hands of the murder society of the annexation club. Threatened men live long. Leven sie hundert jahre und niemals sterben." A list of names was engraved beneath of persons said to have been selected by the annexationists for immediate slaughter in case the attempt to restore the Queen should be carried into effect. Creighton subsequently published an explanation that the whole affair was only a jocose reminder to Mr. Spreckels of his proscription in common with the others named. On hearing that his name was inscribed on the cane, U. S. Consul Blount denied all knowledge of such a cane, and expressed the strongest indignation at the unauthorized use of his name, and has laid before President Dole a formal complaint. The Government has demanded an explanation from Charles Creighton.

Just as the Australia was casting off, Mr. Spreckels addressed a crowd of natives. John E. Bush, who in the late Legislature villified the Queen and Wilson, but who is now an active royalist leader, acted as interpreter and elicited some moderate cheers for Mr. Spreckels. Cheers for the Provisional Government were given by the whites in ringing style.

President Dole denies that Minister Thurston has reported any distinct intimation from Mr. Gresham as to renewed action upon the treaty of annexation. Mr. Dole believes, however, that in the natural course of things negotiations will be resumed at an early date, and for this reason Commissioner Alexander is being sent. He is to sail on the 27th. His instructions had not been made out up to the 24th. The Provisional Government has passed on no modifications to the treaty. Some modifications were tentatively discussed some time ago, but they were dropped, no useful action seeming to be available.

The numerous unsecured creditors of ex-Premier Samuel Parker have thrown him into bankruptcy. So far as ascertained his debts amount to $282,850, of which $232,000 is secured by mortgages, leaving over $50,000 due to some forty creditors. It is believed that under capable management the estate might be brought up to a value of $500,000 Mr. Parker has lived fast. He was the Queen's Premier during most of her two-year's reign and her only unflinching minister on the question of the constitution.

A sensation has been created by Mr. Trousseaax, who comes out with a declaration that leprosy is but slightly contagious and that segregation is useless. He has hitherto stoutly maintained that it was seriously contagious and incurable and has himself examined and condemned thousands of lepers to Molokai He claims to have been converted by reading the recent report of the leprosy commission in India.

On the 23rd Minister Blount explored the shores of Pearl harbor in a sailing yacht in company with President Dole and several prominent gentlemen. He expressed surprise at the great capabilities of the harbor and back country, which he had failed to observe from the railway. His companions were impressed with his keen and alert observation. To one he said: "You have a fine country. Before long it will be much finer." Mr. Blount expressed the hope of hearing on the 27th, that the way will be open for his early departure. He said that the critical period of affairs seems to have gone by.

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World's Fair Expenses Being Gradually Reduced—The Management Satisfied With the Prospects.

Chinese Landed on Exposition Certificates—Russia's Day - National Union Celebration.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Reducing expenses continues at the World's Fair, and each day the number of employes is becoming smaller, so that soon the White City will be working on a "bed-rock" basis financially. It has been decided to reduce the secret service force, the number of gatemen and ticket sellers, the Columbian guard, and to materially lessen the number of passes. The committee on ceremonies will be abolished. The foreign affairs department may also be done away with, and the duties now performed by that department will be placed in control of the director-general. Thus the management hope to save from half to three-quarters of a million dollars during the next three months. It is said on the authority of Lyman J. Gage, of the finance committee, that the payment of bands will probably begin within ten days. Expenses, Mr. Gage says, are about $15,000 a day, which is as close as could be expected in a plant of such magnitude. The attendance will determine the final outcome of the fair financially, but with conservative management the bonds ought to be paid with a surplus besides.

President Higginbotham has given out the following statement :

"It is impossible to give any exact figures concerning the indebtness of the Fair. Few people realize how great an institution this is, and many think we should be able to stop at any moment and tell exactly how we stand. To do this is an impossibility. However, we are now taking our bearings and will be ready with the statement this week. When the fair opened there was a great floating indebtedness. Since May 1 we have been compelled to construct several buildings. Now, when we can say, with the best half of the exposition season before us, that we are out of debt, we are doing well. It may be we still owe a little more than we have money to pay, but the liability is of little consequence. Inside of five days we will have all the funds necessary to pay every cent we owe. The assertion that $1,000,000 will not put us even is false ; we owe no such amount or anything like it."

Out of the 505 Chinese landed at San Francisco on World's Fair certificates as they are called, only 80 are at the Fair, and there is no telling when they will scatter out of that city and settle where they please. Six months ago Chun Pak Kwai, a San Francisco Chinaman, and Chou Ball, his partner in China, arranged to bring Chinese to San Francisco. They brought them over and the customs officers now say that no less than $300 each, or the sum of $150,000, was paid by those landed to Kwai.

The subjects of the Czar had a celebration at the White House to-day in honor of Empress Marie. It was called "Name Day," which Russians hold as of more importance than a birthday, and look forward to it, promising themselves a merry time. The Empress Marie, who was before her marriage Princess Dagmar of Denmark, is very popular in Russia. She attends all public functions and does more mixing with the "common" people than any other member of the royal family. She has established a number of free schools and has many young men attending college at her expense. She takes particular interest, too, in the education of young women. These things endear her to her subjects and this is why her "Name Day" was chosen for the official celebration at the Fair. The celebration began with religious ceremonies in the Russian church on West Madison street, at which Archbishop Nicholas prepresided. These were followed by a concert in Festival hall at Jackson park. The Russian band furnished music, under the leadership of Conductor Glawatch. The entire Exposition orchestra participated in the orchestra numbers, and supported in the choral selections on the programme the chorus of Russian singers who are residents of Chicago. The celebration of Russian Day concluded with a dinner given to members of the Russian jury of award and to the Presidents and Vice-Presidents of foreign juries of awards, at the Lexington hotel.

To day the National Union, numbering 15,000 members throughout the United States, held a celebration on the Fair grounds.

The members of the executive committee of the National Nicaragua Ship Canal Association are gathering in response to a call from the president, ex Congressman Geo. L. Converse, to consider the bill to be presented to the extra session of Congress providing for the Government ownership of the canal. This bill provides that stock to the value of four million shall be issued to Nicaragua, one and a half millions to Costa Rica, and two millions to the Maritime Canal Company in payment for concessions, and that the American Company shall return to the Maritime Canal Company all the money it has expended, with interest. Fifteen directors are provided for, nine to be named by the President of the United States and six by the other parties to the concession.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Reports About the Proposed Steamship Line to Siberia Confirmed.

Kelp Reef Beacon—A Big Cargo Waiting for the "Miowera."

Mr. F. C. Davidge yesterday confirmed the report that negotiations are in progress to have the new line of steamships, which are shortly to be running in connection with the Great Northern between Seattle, Victoria and the Orient, make direct communication with Russia. He says he had this proposition in view when he first made arrangements for the line at St. Paul, it being his intention to have ships call at Vladivostock, Eastern Siberia. At present Mr. Davidge does not care to say much about the scheme until there are further developments in what has already been done. The line, when in operation, however, will be the first direct one in existence between Russia and British Columbia, or probably America. Eastern Siberia is a big country, and when trade is developed her exportations will no doubt be large. It is not known yet what ships will be placed on the route, but it is expected the first will be chartered within the next few weeks.

AN AID TO NAVIGATION.

The Quadra, in command of Capt. Gaudin, agent of marine, returned to port yesterday afternoon, having completed her work at Kelp reef, where a fine large beacon now stands as a valuable aid to navigation. The beacon is a solid stone structure, having a base sixteen feet square, rising to a height of six feet. From the base up the beacon is shaped round, and tapers to a point, from which projects a staff mounted with a large black ball ten feet in diameter, making the total height of the structure thirty-three feet. At spring high tides the beacon will be twenty-two feet above water.

MARINE NOTES.

J. C. Nixon, owner of the sealing schooners Allie I Algar and Henry Dennis, arrived up from Seattle on the City of Kingston, last evening, his mission in the city being to ascertain the price of sealskins. He has already been offered $14.75 apiece for what skins he has already received from his vessels.

The steamship Miowera, which is due here from Australia on Monday, and which is expected to leave here on Wednesday, August 16, will have a big outward cargo, as already 30 car loads of machinery and a large quantity of fish are engaged to be shipped on her.

The San Pedro yacht Penelope will to-day take possession of the Star ways, just vacated by the steamer Cariboo and Fly, for a scraping and a coat of paint.

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Str. Premier............	from Vancouver.
" City of Kingston...	" Port Townsend.
" Isabel..................	" Port Angeles.

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The Cattle are well bred ; a much larger herd could be farmed with the place. The bunch grass on the hills in the vicinity covers many thousands of acres, and is available to the few land owners in the valleys. All buildings and fences about the farm are in good order, and farming operations can be gone on with at once ; about 180 acres of ploughing have been, so far, provided for this year's work.

The Climate is not severe, the land being about 1,100 feet above sea level ; the station was for many years the winter quarters of the H. B. Co.'s pack trains. There is a weekly express in and out. Goods and supplies at wholesale can be procured on order and delivered in 48 hours.

The Title is by grant from the Crown, and is free of all encumbrances. Immediate possession can be given.

Important Railway works are now in progress within moderate distance, and two railway lines have been run to pass close to or through the estate, which can be reached in the spring in three days' journey from Victoria.

The South West Kootenay District, British Columbia, judging from the actual ore products of the mines this winter, is destined in the next year or two to become one of the richest and most important mineral centres in the world. Statistics show, that although the district is in its primary stage, the mines have developed ore veins rich enough to warrant the investment of over a million dollars. When these mines come to be worked systematically, there will be an

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By order of Provisional Directors.
A. DeCOSMOS,
President V., S. & N. W. R'y Co.
Victoria, B.C., July 10, 1893. jy11-tf

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E. A. WILMOT,
July 11th, 1893. City Engineer.
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BEWILDERED GRITS.

It is easy to see that the result of the mission of the nine Ontario farmers to New York State has been a sore blow and a great discouragement to Canadians with annexationist proclivities. They evidently do not know what to make of it or what to say about it. If those farmers had found that their neighbors in New York State are far better off than they are, if the New York farmers received more for what they had to sell, and paid less for what they had to buy, if their farms were clear of debt and were worth a great deal more than they were a few years ago, if, in short, they were more prosperous, and if their prospects were better than those of the Ontario farmers, every Liberal paper in the country would proclaim the results of the enquiry in the most glowing terms, and would loudly declare that American institutions and the American policy are vastly superior to those of the Dominion. We have no doubt that many of them would beforehand have confidently predicted that the enquiry must result unfavorably to Canada. So much had been said and written about the loss of the American trade to Canada and of the advantages of the market of sixty-five millions, that a very large proportion of the Liberals of the Dominion believed that, as a matter of course, the American farmers are greatly better off than those of Canada. They could not be otherwise, and, therefore, to institute a comparison between the farmers of New York State and those of Ontario would be foolish in the extreme. The result of the Leeds enquiry has consequently come upon them like a flash of lightning out of a clear sky.

We are not surprised that the Times is confused and confounded when it finds that the account brought home by the Leeds farmers is correct in every particular, and that no annexationist has had the hardihood to question either its fairness or its accuracy. Our Victoria contemporary, not knowing what else to say, asks why, if the report is correct, the Conservative Government still includes in its platform reciprocity with the United States in natural products? If the Times had been in a position to think, it would have seen that the Conservative Government has not had time even to consider the information gained by the farmers of the county of Leeds. We have no doubt that that information will do much to change the opinion of very many Canadian Liberals as to the absolute necessity of reciprocity to the people of Canada. They will find from it that those who tried to convince them, and who, no doubt, did convince many, that without reciprocity with the United States, Canada would go to the dogs—that it would not be a country worth living in—were either very shallow thinkers or very dishonest politicians. The mission of the Leeds farmers has shown that that sort of talk is the merest rubbish, and that American farmers, with all their advantages, are, as a class, not by any means better off than Canadian farmers.

The detractors of Canada may, perhaps, in time, be able to see why the 65,000,000 market is not more advantageous to the American farmer than it is. They may, after they inquire a little, come to the conclusion that Canadian institutions are not so very much inferior to American institutions after all, and that the Canadian farmer is in fully as good a position to benefit by any advantage that may be within his reach as the American farmer.

Our contemporary asks a number of silly questions which have nothing whatever to do with the problem which the Leeds farmers gave themselves to solve. That problem was: are American farmers—the natural conditions being similar or nearly similar—more prosperous than Canadian farmers? They have found out in such a way as will carry conviction to every intelligent man in Canada, that farming in the States is not prosecuted under better conditions than farming in Canada, and that American farmers are not more prosperous than Canadian farmers.

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RUMORS.

A report was raised, the other day, that Sir Charles Tupper was on his way to Canada to assume the premiership of the Dominion. It was inevitable that such a report should be raised, for the High Commissioner was coming to visit the land of his birth, and the Ottawa liar would consider himself unworthy his vocation if he did not fabricate a rumor suitable to the occasion. About the same time the late lamented Mr. Justice Patterson died. This melancholy circumstance was taken advantage of by the liar aforesaid to circulate the report that Sir John Thompson was to be appointed to fill the vacancy made on the Supreme Court bench by the death of that worthy judge. There was not a scintilla of truth in either rumor. Sir Charles Tupper has not the remotest intention of again entering the political arena. He has fought a good fight for Canada, and he is determined to enjoy the rest he has earned. His position in London is a dignified one, and it is, besides, pleasant. He has work enough to do to keep his mind employed, and he is free from the worries, the cares and the anxieties of active political life. He is able to do Canada good service where he is, and he is content to allow younger men to earn distinction by fighting the battles of the Conservative party in Ottawa.

As for the other rumor, it is not likely that a man in Sir John Thompson's position, even if he were tired of political warfare, would take any but the highest seat on the Supreme Court Bench, and that seat is not now vacant. It was rumored, not long ago, that Sir John would be appointed a member of the judicial committee of the Privy Council, but there does not appear to have been any solid foundation for this rumor. Sir John Thompson will, no doubt, continue some time longer to lead the Conservative party of the Dominion and to occupy his present place as Premier. He has won a high place in the esteem both of his party and the country at large. He has proved himself to be an able and a judicious administrator, and the people of Canada feel that their interests are safe in his hands. The majority of them believe he is in his right place, and they don't want to see him anywhere else.

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PATRIOTIC PARTY MEN.

The course pursued by the Opposition in the British House of Commons with respect to the Siamese question shows that, in the estimation of leading Conservatives, the good of the country is to be preferred to the interests of party. Men of all parties knew that the dispute between France and Siam was a very difficult as well as a very delicate matter for the British Foreign Minister to deal with. He could not stand by with folded arms and see France treat Siam as it saw fit, but when to interfere and how to interfere required great soundness of judgment as well as great tact. It was necessary that the Minister who undertook the work should feel that he had behind him the moral strength of the nation, and it was also necessary that he should not be hampered in his action in any way. An injudicious speech in Parliament, or even an ill-timed question might render abortive negotiations which were in a fair way of speedily coming to an end which would meet with the approval of the country. The Opposition, wishing to give Lord Rosebery all the help he needed, and to make the way for him as smooth as possible, refrained from criticism and asked no question which the Foreign Minister might find it inconvenient to answer. So far from begrudging their very able opponent the credit he must gain by conducting the negotiations well, and effecting an arrangement as advantageous as possible both to Great Britain and Siam, the Conservatives did what they could to assist Lord Rosebery to bring the business to a satisfactory conclusion. Mr. Balfour was no doubt sincere when he assured the Government that the Opposition did not intend to embarrass the negotiations. He had the manliness, or rather the patriotism, to admit that little fault could be found with the action of the Ministers in the Siamese trouble. Sir W. Vernon Harcourt, who is one of the ablest and most vigorous of the supporters of the Government, at the risk of strengthening the hands of his opponents did not hesitate to compliment the Conservatives on the moderation of their tone and their forbearance during the debate.

All this is very different from what we see in the Parliament of Canada. There the chief end of debaters, no matter what the subject under discussion may be, is to discredit their opponents. It is very seldom, indeed, that the Opposition gives credit to the Government for having done anything well, and we very much fear that if its leaders saw a good chance of damaging the party in power, they would not be deterred by considerations of the public welfare. Now and again Government and Opposition are seen complimenting each other and voting together. But the subject then under consideration is not a controversial one, or does not involve a matter of policy. But in great Britain it is different. Not long ago Mr. Gladstone, in his place in Parliament as leader of the Opposition, signified his unqualified approbation of the foreign policy of Lord Salisbury, and now we see the leader of the Conservatives in the Commons approving the course pursued in a very important matter by the Liberal Minister of Foreign Affairs. This is in striking contrast to the very discreditable exhibition of partisan violence witnessed in the same House of Commons a few days ago.

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SOUTH CAROLINA'S LIQUOR LAW.

The people of South Carolina do not take kindly to State barkeeping. They do not believe that the Government has any business to compel them to buy their liquor in its shops and to pay for it any price it chooses to charge. They consider the interference of the State in the business of liquor selling an infringement on the liberty of the citizen that no free-born South Carolinian should permit, and they are, consequently, giving Governor Tillman any amount of trouble. He has, so far, found it impossible to enforce his liquor law. The people will not buy their liquor at his "dispensaries," and they will insist upon getting their drinks in illegal and unauthorized places. They are fighting the law in every possible shape and way. The Courts have decided against it and the Prohibitionists are already chuckling over what they consider Governor Tillman's failure to make them partners in a big liquor selling concern. This is what Mr. Childs, the leader of the party, says of the success of the law:

> The Dispensary Act not only fails to stop the sale of intoxicants, but with every package which it stamps and delivers to the dispenser to be sold as proper and good for use as a beverage, it sets the seal of condemnation on the public sentiment, which has long since, by the restrictive and prohibitive conditions which it imposed upon the liquor traffic, marked it as a business dangerous and pernicious to society.

The Charleston correspondent of the New York Herald writes of the operation of the Act in this way:—

> The most interesting aspect of the whole matter to outsiders is to be found in the illegal traffic in liquor which was inaugurated the instant the doors of the saloons were closed. From the mountains to the seaboard "blind tigers" are now open and doing a flourishing business, ten times as much as the few dispensaries in the state are doing. In fact the real fight against the law will be right here, the liquor men hoping to kill the measure by rendering it unprofitable. The magnitude which this illicit sale of liquors has already attained can scarcely be computed, and the difficulty of successfully fighting it cannot be estimated. The memory of man runneth not back to a time when thousands of gallons of "moon shine" whiskey were not made and successfully disposed of in the State.

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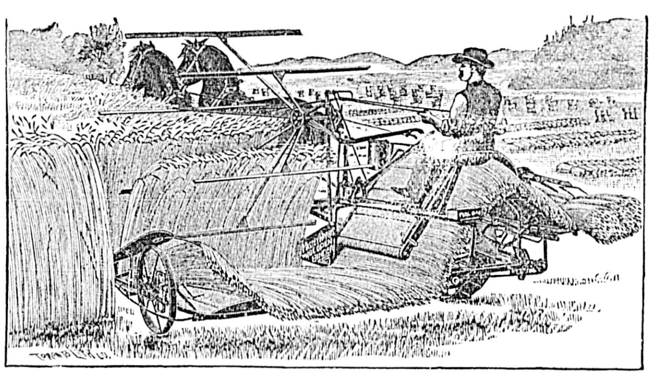

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TENDERS.

CITY OF VICTORIA,

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Tenders for Debentures.

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Debentures," will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before the 22nd August, 1893, for the purchase of Debentures of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, amounting to $85,000, in sums of $1000 each, payable in fifty years from 3rd July, 1893, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable half yearly, with principal and interest payable in currency or its sterling equivalent at the rate of $1.86⅔ to the one pound sterling, at the Bank of British North America, either at New York, U.S.A., or Montreal or Victoria, Canada.

The tenderer must state the price net at Victoria which he will pay.

In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at 4½ per centum per annum from July 3rd, 1893, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

The above debentures are issued under authority of the Educational Loan By-law, 1893, with principal and interest secured by a rate on all ratable land and improvements in the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk,

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., 17th July, 1893. jy18

CITY OF VICTORIA,

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Local Improvement Debentures.

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Broad Street Local Improvement Debentures," will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before the 22nd August, 1893, for the purchase of Local Improvement Debentures amounting to $10,788, payable in ten years from November 24th, 1892, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable half yearly, with principal and interest payable at Victoria, B.C. The tenderer must state the net price at Victoria which he will pay.

In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at 5 per cent. from 24th November, 1892, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

The above Debentures are issued under authority of "The Broad Street Local Improvement By-law, 1892" and are secured by a special rate imposed by that by-law, and on that security only. The total assessed value of the whole real property ratable under the above by-law, according to the assessment roll of 1892, is $685,384.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., July 17th, 1893. jy18

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THE CITY.

The W. C. T. U. of Victoria are negotiating for a visit from Mrs. Mary Clement Leavitt.

George Pittendrigh, J.P., has been appointed Stipendiary Magistrate for the county of Westminster.

The regular monthly meeting of the St. Andrew's Caledonian society will be held this evening at their hall, Blanchard street.

The Lacrosse Club have in view the holding of a grand open air hop on their grounds the week after next. Such an event would be well attended.

There was a great "run" of salmon in Esquimalt harbor yesterday. A big school of fish came in during the afternoon, and a great many were taken.

The second annual meeting of the British Columbia Dental association will be held at New Westminster on September 28 and 29—the two last days of the fair in the Royal City.

The Pacific Fish Co., Ltd., of Vancouver, has been duly incorporated with a capital stock of $25,000 in $5 shares. The trustees are T. Reynell Lane, J. M. Buxton, Max Mowat and E. E Rand.

Members of the local lodges, I. O. G. T., spent yesterday at Chemainus, whither they went by special train to enjoy a picnic programme of speeches, sports and games. The outing was a thoroughly enjoyable one.

Mr. Alexander Murray has been selected out of more than one hundred applicants to succeed Mr. R. Chipchase as sanitary inspector. The appointment was made yesterday, subject to the approval of the Council.

Lee Fook Bow's alleged wife, "little Chummie," is no longer an unwelcome and unwilling passenger on the Umatilla; she awaits in San Francisco the sailing of the steamer which is to carry her home to China at the expense of Uncle Sam.

In compliance with Section 3 of the Canadian Western Extension Act of last session, yesterday's Gazette contains formal notice of the extension of time for the commencement of actual construction of the Canadian Western Central Railway until August 1 of next year.

Captain Ole Olson, well-known along the northern Pacific Coast, died on board the excursion steamer Queen between this city and Port Townsend, while on his way to Seattle for hospital treatment. The interment will be at Port Hadlock, where several relatives of the deceased are living.

Programme, rules and regulations for the 1893 exhibition, to be held at New Westminster September 26-29, have just been issued by the Royal Agricultural and Industrial Society. President T. J. Trapp and his officers anticipate success and are working hard to ensure it. Entries of exhibits must be made not later than September 18.

All communications intended for publication or concerning matters of news or opinion should be addressed to *The Editor*, accompanied invariably with the name of the writer. All other communications, in reference to subscriptions, advertisements, etc., matters of business, should be addressed to the *Business Manager*.

The residents of Cedar Hill district mourn the loss of C. F. E. Mebius, whose death took place yesterday. The deceased was a native of Meissen, Germany, and came to this country in 1852, when he was but 24 years of age. He was in the employ of the Hudson Bay company here for some time, but for the past two years has been living a retired life at Cedar Hill. His funeral will take place from his late residence on the Cedar Hill road, to-morrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

Mr. W. C. Pope made his first appearance in the City Police court yesterday—not as a prisoner, as those who jump at conclusions might imagine, but as clerk of the court. Hereafter the Police court evidence will be reduced to writing by him, and he will also have charge of all the books and the preparation of summonses, warrants, etc. In yesterday's court the hearing of charges preferred against five Chinese for peddling without license so to do—and thereby violating the Revenue by law, in such cases made and provided—was adjourned until Tuesday. John Boyd, charged with assaulting a sailor named Thomas Chapman, did not appear in answer to the summons of the court, and a warrant was accordingly issued to enforce his attendance.

There is plenty of money lying loose around Victoria—lots of it, but it's out of sight—the riches referred to, away down under the water, reposing in a nice soft bed of mud. Watches and jewelry of value also enjoy the same distinction. The way these riches came to be there is no mystery, and the facts are given for the benefit of anyone who thinks he can add to his store of worldly possessions. Nearly every week some unheeding man or woman in getting into or upon leaving a boat bends over the water far enough to allow a watch or a piece of money to slip from a pocket where it insecurely reposes. At each of the boat houses the mud is sprinkled with quarters, halves and coins of larger denomination. Last week a young man dropped his watch overboard at McIntosh's boat house, and a short time ago twelve silver dollars slid out of the pocket of a man who was a little awkward in getting out of his boat. In the immediate vicinity of McIntosh's boat house there are at least ten watches and chains, and it would be difficult to learn just how much coin, but the amount is considerable. At different times, the boat house keeper says, he has lost upwards of $40 in small amounts. A coin dropped on the floor is sure to find a crack and slide gracefully into the depths. Scarcely any of the lost articles have been recovered as the mud is about four feet in depth beneath several feet of water. Occasionally a piece of jewelry of sufficient value to warrant a diver being hired to recover it has been returned to its owner, but such a thing is rare. After a piece of silver or a timepiece reaches the water it is liable to strike out at an angle that will take it many feet distant from where it disappeared. Besides, the bottom is covered with broken bottles, and the diver's suit may be so badly cut as to be ruined. So it is no more than likely that the waters will still retain their own.

The Board of Directors of the B.C. Agricultural association will hold a meeting in the Secretary's office of the B.C. Paper Mill Co.'s establishment this evening.

The aquatic sports that were to take place at the Y M C.A. Baths on Saturday, have been postponed. The announcement of the date will appear in Saturday's issue.

The steamer Premier did not wait for the arrival of the Pacific express train at Vancouver yesterday afternoon, and therefore brought neither Eastern mail nor passengers.

The case of Jackson v. Jackson & Mylius will be tried in the Supreme court to-day, it having been postponed from last week H D Helmcken appears for the plaintiff, F. B. Gregory for the defendant, Celia Mylius.

Capt. Macaulay, of the sealing schooner Beatrice, which returned the other day, says his vessel sailed right over the rock on which the whaling vessel Sea Ranger struck. He says the rock is not marked officially on the chart.

W. Lorimer, superintendent of construction at William's Head quarantine station, yesterday entertained a party of friends by an excursion on the Straits to the station and return. During the afternoon a splendid time was had, fishing and bathing.

The County court August sitting opened yesterday morning, with the Chief Justice presiding, sitting as a County court judge. A number of cases were disposed of and the examination of judgment debtors was concluded. The court will have to sit a couple of days more to finish up all the cases.

At yesterday's meeting of the W. C. T. U., officers for the year were chosen as follows: President, Mrs. Gordon Grant; Vice-President, Mrs. Jenkins; Secretary, Mrs. J. A. Gould; Treasurer, Mrs. William Grant. It was finally decided to give tea and sandwiches at the summer exhibition of the B. C. Agricultural Association.

Midway between Cedar Hill and the city, on the Lansdowne road and not far from the Jewish cemetery, the postoffice of Oakland was opened for business of the Dominion on Wednesday last. The postmaster, Mr. W. B. C. Newburn, is also proprietor of a well stocked general store which should find considerable patronage in so well populated a locality.

PERSONAL.

J. C. Nixon, of Seattle, is in the city.

J. M Paul has returned from the Mainland.

M. D. Monsarat and wife returned from the Sound yesterday.

F. S. Barnard, M.P., was a passenger by the Premier last night.

C. H. Hall and J. T. Huggard, of Winnipeg, are at the Driard.

E. B. C. Hanington, M.D., was a passenger by the Kingston yesterday.

Mrs. Robinson, wife of Capt. Robinson, of Sarnia, Ont., is at the Driard.

Captains Lee and Babbington arrived on the Premier from Vancouver last evening.

John C. Callbreath was a passenger from Seattle on the City of Kingston last evening.

E Crow Baker and Charles Kent were passengers by the Kingston on her inward trip yesterday.

R O. Turner, J. O. Breeze and N. S. Rieland of Vancouver are guests at the Hotel Victoria.

W. B. Tray, of San Francisco, R. P. and Mrs. Schwerin and S. R. Betts, of New York, are at the Driard.

R. P. and Mrs. Scherwin of San Francisco have returned from Comox, where they went as guests of the owners, on the steamer Lorne.

Captain W. E. George, the Alaska pilot, is in the city, awaiting the return call of the steamer which brought him—or he brought—down.

C. C. Lindsay, ahead of "Lost in London," was in the city yesterday. His attraction will play at The Victoria next Wednesday.

Rt. Hon. Wm. Brabazon Lindley Toler, fourth Earl of Norbury, is expected to pay Victoria a visit this evening. He is "doing the circle" for pleasure, and will be a passenger by the Empress of India on Monday for Japan, whence he goes on to Hongkong.

J. Park Henderson, of Seattle, who is attorney for several large American insurance companies, arrived in the city last evening on a business trip through the Province, which will take him as far as Nanaimo. Mr. Henderson is one of the most brilliant lawyers of Washington, and is well known.

Mothers, See That You Exercise Care and Prudence!

When the mother is obliged to feed her infant artificially, great care and prudence should be exercised. The first care should be the selection of a proper prepared food, one that has an established reputation, one that mothers generally have had an experience with in their families. Amongst the many brands now on the market seeking the favor and attention of mothers, the Lactated Food prepared by Wells & Richardson Co., Montreal, is now the favorite and best known. This Lactated Food has the recommendation of the best Canadian physicians who prescribe it freely in their practice, and expert chemists pronounce it the purest and most nourishing of all foods that have come under their inspection. In the face of all these facts, it is unwise for mothers to use any other brand of prepared food. Medical evidence clearly demonstrates the necessity of using Lactated Food for the babies during the hot weather. It is a sure preventive of diarrhœa, dysentery and cholera infantum, and a grand producer of flesh, bone and muscle. If mothers doubt even expert testimony let them make trial of Lactated Food for one week; if this is done, we are certain that all doubts will be dispelled.

Cheap dinner sets at Cheapside.

THE SUMMER FAIR.

Prospects Bright and Hopes High of a Fine Exhibition and a Good Attendance.

Work Commenced Out at the Grounds—Seating Accommodation Has Now Been Provided.

It will have to be an unlucky and unexpected circumstance, indeed, that will prevent the first summer exhibition under the management of the B.C. Agricultural Association being a great success. While some of the departments may, owing to the early date, not make quite as good a showing as usual, any deficiency there may be in this way will be more than made up by the superior excellence of others. A great deal of the available space has already been allotted, and the constant inquiries that are being made indicate that there are a considerable number of intending exhibitors who have not yet made their entries.

Supt. Lambert was out at the grounds nearly the whole of yesterday looking after a number of men he has at work making necessary changes, alterations and repairs. So far as the handsome central building itself is concerned very little has had to be done beyond a little painting, but the experience of the past has suggested an improvement in the accommodation which will surely be welcomed by those who make it their pleasure to attend. Heretofore all along the railing upstairs there has been a row of tables on which fruit and vegetable exhibits have been placed. This somewhat narrowed the walk around; but its greatest inconvenience was that the sightseers could not get quite close enough to the railing to look over, and were obliged to content themselves with a general view of the tops of pyramids, etc. This year all these tables have been removed, and in their place has been placed a row of seats on which the weary ones can rest while they enjoy the music and take in the attractions below. How much the lack of seating accommodation has been felt by visitors to the fair, they and they only can tell, for the complaints one heard constantly only represented the feelings of a small proportion of those who felt the inconvenience. Nor does the taking away of these tables reduce the space for exhibits very materially, as what is cut off on one side can be allowed on the other.

Already the work of putting up the decorations has begun, while the scores of men around the building, the different piles of manufactured goods and the "sound of the hammer and the saw" show that the exhibitors themselves are not going to be very much, if any, behindhand. The two earliest arrivals on the grounds were the Albion Iron Works and W. J. Pendray, both of whom will make fine showings. Pendray's Soap Works will be elaborately advertised at the exhibition in rather a unique and certainly an attractive way. There will be two immense blocks of soap—the mottled marbly kind that looks so pretty and hard—and a reward or prize of $10 is offered to the person who guesses nearest the weight of the big cakes, a second prize of $5 going to the one who shall come next. The fancy part of this exhibit will be models carved in soap of the old parliament buildings and also of the new ones, showing the contrast between the old "Chinese pagoda" syle of architecture in which the buildings were erected thirty years ago, and the modern massive style which has been determined on for the new structure on which work is now going on.

Other exhibitors are also moving rapidly into their place, and by the end of this week will have completed arrangements so that by Monday they will be able to "open for business," with only the finishing touches to be put on. The electrician, Mr. R. B. McMicking, was out at the building yesterday to get the electric lighting apparatus in order and superintend the erection of the big arc lights on the grounds. Everything so far has worked very smoothly, and there is no reason to expect anything but the first-class service which will make the building brilliant, and enable the visitors at night to see everything as well as in the day time.

As a matter of course there has not as yet been so much done on the grounds as in the building; but the preliminary preparations have been made. The stables and sheds are all clean and well aired, so that they will be ready to accommodate stock. All the long grass has been cut and the ground has been rolled, the city's steam "Jumbo" being used for this purpose. Over on the race track some good work has been done during the summer in cutting out about eight feet of sod next the pole all around the ring. This has been thrown up against the fence on the outside of the track, and gives it a greater dip to the centre. This eight feet is, of course, somewhat soft yet, but it is a great place to "work" the horses in training, and when it comes to race days a fair quantity of water sprinkled over it will keep the dust down. The balance of the track is quite hard and needs more sprinkling, but the difficulty is to get the water, which only trickles through the pipes, so that it takes a long time to fill up the cart and tank. At the stables there are at present only a few horses, but several are expected down from Vancouver and the Mainland, while a number of local owned horses are being got into condition on the owners' farms. Horsemen are taking a good deal of interest in the racing events of the week, and promise to do their share towards making the exhibition the complete success hoped for.

SHOOTING SEASON.

Synopsis of Game Act as Applying to Vancouver Island.

Following is a synopsis of the Game Act relating to Vancouver Island: The season for blue and willow grouse and wild duck opens on September 1; deer and bull elk, on September 15; cock pheasants, October 1. The Game Act makes it unlawful to kill cow elk at any time, nor more than two bull elk in any one year. It is unlawful to buy or sell, or expose for sale, any pheasants or doe of any age, or any deer under the age of twelve months, or any willow grouse before the first of October. It is unlawful to kill quail of any description before September 1894.

Diamonds in a Cellar,

Like gems, in darkness issuing rays
They've treasured, from the sun that's set,
Beam all the light of long lost days.

Nice sentiment this, but all bosh, as you will see if you take your diamonds down cellar. Pennock & Lowe have some fine gems on the way—will be here about Monday.

Resources of British Columbia.

The new pamphlet published by the Provincial Government on the above subject, may be purchased at Hibben & Co.'s book store. jy12

VICTORIA'S MID-SUMMER EXHIBITION

WILL TAKE PLACE ON

AUGUST 7TH TO 12TH INCLUSIVE

AT AGRICULTURAL HALL.

The Exhibition promises to be the most attractive that has ever been held. In addition a programme of

RACING AND SPORTS

Has been arranged to be held on the last four days of the Show. These include HORSE RACING, GYMKHANA RACES, LACROSSE MATCH BETWEEN VICTORIA AND VANCOUVER, Etc.

THE BAND OF "C" BATTERY will furnish music during the day and evening, a change of programme each day being made.

The E. & N. Railway Company have advertised less than one fare return rates during the whole week of the Exhibition from all points. The C. P. N. Co. will sell return tickets from Vancouver, Westminster and River Points at $3.50, this sum to include one admission to the Show.

For all information in regard to Entries, Space for Exhibits, etc., apply to

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ACTING SECRETARY,
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JNO. LAMBERTON,
SUPERINTENDENT.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Minister Blount's Report.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Minister Blount's long expected report on Hawaiian affairs is in possession of the Secretary of State. It arrived in the official dispatch bag from San Francisco, In company with a communication from Mr. Severence, the United States Consul In Hawaii, telling of the Fourth of July celebration at Honolulu, at which Mr. Blount presided. Mr. Blount is expected in Washington about August 20, to participate in the conference of the President and Secretary Gresham, over the amended protocol of a treaty submitted by the Provisional Government.

The Lady of Ste. Anne.

New York, Aug. 3.—There was a great throng of worshippers to-day at the sacred relic of St. Anne in the French Canadian church of St. Jean Baptiste on East Seventy-sixth street, word having been received that the holy pontiff would grant the indulgence of portnuncle to all visiting the church on this day. This is regarded as a noteworthy action on the part of the Pope, the indulgence having usually been confined to Franciscan churches. The relic is alleged to be a piece of the body of St. Anne, grandmother of Jesus Christ, and its genuineness is certified to by Archbishop Corrigan of New York and Cardinal Taschereau of Canada.

Affairs in the Argentine.

Buenos Ayres, Aug. 3.—A motion was rejected in the House of Republicans calling upon the Federal Government to intervene for restoration of order in the Provinces of Buenos Ayres, Santa Fe and San Luis. News received to-night states that General Rawson repulsed the forces at La Plata commanded by Gen. Costa, Governor of the Province of Buenos Ayres, but details of the engagement are not obtained. It is reported that 100 men were killed and 300 wounded during the fighting in and around Rosario.

Dr. McGlynn's Restoration.

New York, Aug. 3.—Vicar-General Macnamara, representative of Bishop McDonnell, during the latter's absence at Brooklyn, has written authorizing Dr. Edward McGlynn to say mass for one month in St. Finnan's church, Bath Beach. The pastor of the church is Father Ward. The unexpected privilege reached Dr. McGlynn last evening, while he was at the Fair, for the benefit of St. Finnan's church. He expressed gratification and then said he would be pleased to officiate at low mass next Sunday morning. He added that he would find it agreeable later on to officiate at high mass. Dr. McGlynn is stopping at present at Bath Beach.

Fatal Boathouse Accident.

Boston, Aug. 3.—A distressing accident occurred this evening at the boathouse of the Chelsea yacht club on Broadway, Chelsea, near the Charlestown bridge over the Mystic river. It was illumination night at the club house, and consequently there was a large crowd in attendance, including many ladies. A band was playing on the pier in front of the club house, and many people had filled the balcony directly over the musicians' heads. Suddenly the balcony gave way and its occupants were thrown upon the pier and many of them into the water. The confusion that followed was indescribable, men and women shrieking in their attempts to save themselves and their friends. An alarm of fire was sounded, and the firemen did good work in rescuing those who were found floating in the water and in securing the bodies of the drowned, as well as helping to care for the wounded.

Tenders will be received up to Wednesday, August 9, for advertising space, 90x7 feet, on the Y.M.C.A. floating bath near Point Ellice bridge. Address, Secretary, Y.M.C.A.

Through passage to or from Europe via any of the Atlantic lines can be most cheaply arranged at C. P. R. Office, corner Fort and Government streets.

SHORT OF CURRENCY.

New York at Present Suffering From Having Disposed of so Much Small Circulation.

New York, Aug. 3.—The overshadowing feature of the financial situation has come to this city. From all over the country there has been such a continual demand for a small denomination of currency and New York responded so freely to the requests of out of town banks, that now the metropolis itself is suffering from what very closely approaches a currency famine. For several days money brokers have been offering premiums of from $2.50 to $10 per thousand for small bills, $20 and under, and to-day bills were advanced to $20 and $25. Considerable business is known to have been done at these figures. The banks of Chicago, Philadelphia and Boston are blamed for the present situation to the extent that they have failed to take proper measures of relief, and New York has been called upon to supply the whole country. To do this the banks here have taken out of the clearing house loan certificates to the amount of $33,050,000. Some relief is looked for when the gold now afloat reaches here and more as soon as the comptroller of currency is able to begin the delivery of the new circulation ordered by the national banks. Exchanges over the counter at the sub treasury of currency for gold certificates amounted to $450,000, and $200,000 was paid out on checks. The shipments of silver dollars were $15,000.

SPENCER'S ARCADE.

First shipment of New Goods, purchased by Mr. C. Spencer.

1 Case Colored and Black Velvets

All the Latest Shades

1 Case Madras Muslins

For Window Curtains; very handsome. An assortment of other WINDOW MUSLINS.

3 Cases Chenille Curtains

and 6-4, 8-4, 10-4, 12-4 to match.

Chenille Table Covers,

The Latest Styles.

D. SPENCER, - - PROPRIETOR.
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Provincial Secretary's Office.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment:

2nd August, 1893.

George Pittendrigh, of the City of New Westminster, Esquire, J.P., to be a Stipendiary Magistrate within and for the County of Westminster.

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AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND PROMENADE CONCERT

—BY THE—

MASSED BANDS OF

H. M. S. ROYAL ARTHUR

AND

"C" BATTERY, R. C. A.

In aid of the Relief Fund for Widows and Orphans of H. M. S. VICTORIA and the British Columbian Benevolent Society will be given

IN THE NEW MARKET HALL,

—ON—

SATURDAY, 5TH AUGUST,

COMMENCING AT 8.30 P.M.

Under the distinguished patronage of Rear-Admiral Stephenson, C.B., and Officers Pacific Fleet, Lieut.-Col. Holmes and Officers "C" Battery, R C.A., His Worship the Mayor, etc.

ADMISSION 50c. au3 CHAIRS 50c.

NOTICE.

THE VICTORIA

LAWN TENNIS CLUB

HAVE POSTPONED THEIR

Annual : Tournament

—TILL—

MONDAY, AUGUST 14,

AND FOLLOWING DAYS.

Play to Commence Each Day at 11 a.m.

EVENTS TO BE AS FOLLOWS:

Gentlemen's Open Singles and Championship of British Columbia—Prize value, $20 and Championship Shield. Entrance fee, $1.

Gentlemen's Open Doubles—Prize value, $10 each. Entrance fee, $1 each player.

Ladies and Gentlemen's Open Doubles—Prize value, $10 each. Entrance fee, $1 each player.

Ladies' Open Singles—Prize given by the Club. Entrance fee, $1. No event unless five entries.

Ladies' Doubles—Each pair to be nominated by a member of the Club. Entrance fee $2.00 each pair.

Ladies and Gentlemen's Doubles—(Club handicap)—Prize given by the Club. Entrance fee, $1 each pair.

Veteran's Singles—Members only—Age over 35 years. No event unless six entries. Prize value, $5.

Entries for the above events will be received by the Secretary on or before Wednesday, 9th August, and unless accompanied by the proper fees, will not be accepted.

GRANVILLE V. CUPPAGE,
Hon. Secretary V.L.T.C., Victoria.

ADMISSION TO THE GROUND ON BELCHER STREET.

50c. Each Day. Ticket for the Week $1.50
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WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Those Who Had the Christening of Victoria's Streets are Invited to Rise and Explain.

How the Stranger in the Land May Lose Himself With Neatness and Dispatch.

An advertisement now appearing in the COLONIST announces that application will shortly be made for a transfer of the liquor license held for The Grove saloon, "situate on the corner of Catherine and Frederick streets, lot 28, Block F., Victoria City." The exact geographical position of The Grove, according to the description quoted, might puzzle those who know Catherine street as the shady thoroughfare running from Simcoe street to Humboldt, and Frederick as the connecting link between Quadra and Cook. They might also inquire with reasonable curiosity how it was proposed to bring these two streets together so as to form a corner, but if they undertake to locate The Grove by tracing either street its entire length they will, at the end of a long and weary tramp, be still as much mystifyed as when they started. And yet The Grove saloon is actually situated on the corner of Catherine and Frederick streets in the City of Victoria aforesaid.

To those who are familiar with the official map of the city of Victoria, revised and corrected up to date at the last session of the Legislature, the riddle is already read—there are two Frederick streets and two Catherines, both pairs in the city of Victoria though miles apart, and having no distinguishing characteristics in name. The one Frederick street extends from Quadra to Cook, in the heart of the city; the other lies between Russel and Alston streets, in Victoria West. Catherine street No. 1 is one of the most popular drives in the city, skirting Beacon Hill Park; Catherine street No. 2 is a principal thoroughfare of Victoria West, running from Selkirk Bay to Lime Bay, in a locality three or four miles from the neighborhood traversed by its namesake.

Why this duplication of names was allowed to continue and confuse when the Official Map Act was last amended and corrected, is another of the mysteries—something that, as Dundreary would say, "no fellow can find out."

Frederick and Catherine streets are not, however, the only highways in the city boasting names so well beloved that every ward must have its share. The convenient First, Second, Third and Fourth streets are even more popular, and the story of the man who travelled twenty-five miles, going from Oak Bay to Victoria West, Victoria West to the Mount Tolmie road, and thence to the Work Estate before finding his friend who lived on Second street, is not an impossibility by any means. There is a Second street in each of the localities mentioned—and not alone a Second street, but a First, a Third and a Fourth.

Ten minutes' inspection of the city map will fill the average citizen with mild astonishment; ten minutes more will develop his astonishment into dismay; and half an hour will cause him to entertain the gravest doubts that there ever had been a revision of the map. Why streets have been registered by names already borne in some other parts of the city will be another conundrum presenting itself. Here is a little ten-minute list prepared yesterday, each of the streets duplicated in name being in an entirely different section of the city from the other—usually miles away.

Douglas street—From James Bay to the Fountain.
Douglas street—From Lampson road to Dominion road.

Park street—(North) from Pioneer to Cook.
Park street—(South) from Park road to Catherine (No. 1.)
Park road—From Humboldt to the Beach.
Princess street—James Bay—South Ward.
Princess avenue—North Ward.

Frederick street—Quadra to Cook.
Frederick street—Russel to Alston
Rithet street—Esquimalt road to Lyall street.
Rithet street—James Bay district.

Stanley street—Lampson to Head.
Stanley street—Cadboro Bay road to Bay street—(one of the Bay streets.)

Bay street—Macaulay Point, Victoria West.
Bay street—From Rock Bay to Government street.
Bay street—Parallel with Cadboro Bay road.
Bay street—Lime bay.
Bay terrace—West bay to Dunsmuir street.

Market street—Fourth street to Saanich road.
Market street—Fort to Kane.

Turner street—James Bay.
Turner street—Work to David.

Phœnix street—Colville street to Craigflower road.
Phœnix street—Avalon road to Toronto street.

Myrtle street—From Hamilton road parallel with Lansdowne.
Myrtle street—From Snowden street to Gorge.

Adelaide street—Lansdowne road to Holly avenue.
Adelaide street—Snowden street to Bushby.

St. Louis street—Long Branch avenue to Orchard avenue
St. Louis street—Cook to Mason street.

St James street—From Newport avenue south.
St. James street—Rendell to Oswego.

Belleville street—Newport avenue to Mount Baker avenue.
Belleville street—Skirting James Bay.

Catherine street—Skirting Beacon Hill Park.
Catherine street—Selkirk Bay to Lime Bay.

St. Henry street—From Long Branch avenue.
St. Henry street—Pleasant street to Government.

St. Andrew's street—Oak Bay avenue to Saratoga avenue.
St. Andrew's street—Niagara street to Simcoe street.

No effort has been made to have the above list a complete one; it is but a sample. Nor has anything been said of George street and St. George street, Charles street and St. Charles, Oak street, Oak avenue, and Oak Bay avenue, David street and St. David, Esquimalt roads (old and new) and Esquimalt street. They are also interesting as affording opportunity for the stranger and sojourner in the land to lose himself or herself. This feat should not be at all difficult; to facilitate its performance name boards have been dispensed with on the vast majority of streets, while the numbering of the houses is far from complete.

A final and crowning glory of Victoria's streets, in point of peculiarity, is the method of changing the names at every second corner, quite possibly for the purpose of convincing the skeptical that the duplication of names did not arise through a failure of the supply. For example, Pioneer street, when it crosses Quadra, becomes North Park; Gotham, Bodwell and Grant streets form one continuous thoroughfare; Chatham street and Caledonia avenue are one and the same—only in different places; and Fort street is in successive stages known as Fort street, Chestnut avenue and Cadboro Bay road.

The study of Victoria's streets is an interesting one; why they are as they are in many particulars is past all finding out.

DIVISIONAL COURT.

(Before Crease and Drake, J.J.)

July 24, 1893.

Judgment—Clark and wife v. Eholts and Carson:

Crease, J.—This is an appeal by the defendant Carson against an order of the Chief Justice giving leave to the plaintiffs to amend their statement of claim as they might be advised. There have been great delays on both sides, probably greatest on that of the defendants. The writ of summons was issued on July 30, 1889, but, owing to explainable circumstances, was not served until October 29, 1890. Then came the order of Mr. Justice Walkem amending the statement of claim; appealed to the Divisinnal Court and by them confirmed, with permission to amend in 14 days. This order was not taken out, and no amended statement of claim delivered. On October 18, 1892, plaintiff, under rule 749, served the usual one month's notice (as more than a year and a day had expired since the last proceeding) of his intention to proceed. Then followed the present notice of motion for judgment in default of delivery of the amended pleading ordered, on which the learned Chief Justice made the order appealed against; refusing to give the judgment asked, but allowing three days for delivery of amended statement of claim and payment of costs, otherwise statement of claim to be taken off the file. Against this decision of the Chief Justice the defendant now appeals. His chief complaint is of the plaintiff's laches, in not complying with the order of the court, confirmed as it was by the Divisional court, to deliver an amended statement of claim, and that he is placed at great disadvantage thereby. But he has shown considerable laches himself; for it is clear that when the month's notice to proceed was given he could then have made application to set that notice aside. Indeed, he could have applied at any time to dismiss the case. The service of the notice to proceed was a direct challenge to the defendant to seek, if he required it, the assistance of the court to dismiss. But that course was not adopted. Moreover, if the present motion were granted it would not be useful, for the action would still survive. Success in this application would not get rid of the action. If defendant had succeeded now, nothing definite could have come of it; nor would it have prevented any other step being taken in the action. I consider, therefore, that the learned Chief Justice's decision is the proper one to have been made under the circumstances, and should be supported; and that this appeal should be dismissed, with costs to the plaintiff in any event.

Drake, J.—This appeal, if successful, will result in nothing; it will not prevent another application to amend or to add defendants or any other steps that may be necessary in an action. The defendant relies on the great and unexpected delays that have taken place; if he had made use of these delays to apply to dismiss he might probably have succeeded, but as long as an action is on the files of the court the court has cognizance of it, and applications are made continually relating to some steps or other which may be thought necessary to be taken. It is contended, further, that by giving leave to amend the defendant may be prejudiced in his defence of the statute of limitation. The issue of a writ is sufficient to prevent the statute running, but it is said here the writ does not disclose the time of the alleged trespasses and could not be used to sustain a cause of action which would be barred before the delivery of the claim. I don't think this is correct; the writ is sufficient to sustain a cause of action which is commenced within the statutable period. The statement of claims defines more particularly the years in which the damage occurred, but no statement of claim having been delivered until 1893, the argument is that the statute begins to run from the date of delivery of the claim, which would have the effect of eliminating three years of alleged damages. It is not necessary to decide this point on the present appeal. The Chief Justice has allowed the plaintiff's application on terms. I see no reason to set aside his order. There has been unwarranted delay on the plaintiff's part, but our rules provide a remedy for the party prejudiced. I think the appeal should be dismissed, with costs to the plaintiff in any event.

ALASKA BOUNDARY.

(San Francisco Call.)

By the last mail from Alaska the progress of the survey of the boundary line between Alaska and Canada is reported. Up to the Taku Inlet the triangulation undertaken by Mr. McGrath for thirty marine miles from the mouth has been finished, and Mr. McGrath has transferred his party to the Stickeen river, where Mr. Tittmann is now at work, and whom he will assist.

Mr. Tittmann has not had a very easy task in carrying his small triangulation up the Stickeen for forty five miles, owing to the great force of the current, the velocity of which is best illustrated by the statement that if one of his dories gets twenty minutes below the station, it requires a whole day to get it back. Mr. Baldwin, his assistant, has been under the doctor's care for two months with a badly cut foot, but is just now recovering. Mr. Ogden has also been at work on the Taku Inlet, but the nature of his work has been topographical. He has accomplished about two-thirds of it. When he completes the work there assigned to him, he will go up on the Stickeen, too.

The Canadian party is on the Onook river, and has been delayed in its photographic work on account of bad weather. Mr. Dickens and party are with the Canadians and report not a very pleasant experience. From some of his party who came down the river for communication it was learned that while it takes only one day to come down, six are required for their return. Assistant Astronomer Edmunds has not yet reported, neither has Mr. Morse, who is at Sitka. Messrs. Flamer and Pratt are at Holkham bay getting along nicely. The chronometer trips are still being continued by the steamer Hassler.

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NOTICE

Is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, on the second Wednesday in September next, application will be made to the Board that the temporary permission for the transfer of the retail liquor license, issued under Subsection 1 of Section 204 of the Municipal Act, 1892, to Messrs. Meunier, Brown & Fox, for the premises known as the Caledonia Saloon, situated on the southeast corner of Store and Cormorant streets, in the City of Victoria, granted on the 19th day of June last past, by the Mayor, under authority of Section 221 of the said Act, may be ratified and extended, and that the said license may be transferred to Messrs. Joseph H. Brown and H. M. Fox.

Dated this 18th day of July, 1893, at the City of Victoria.

JOSEPH MEUNIER.
JOS. H. BROWN.
jy19 H. M. FOX.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Victoria Brewing & Ice Company (Limited Liability), and the Phœnix Brewery Company (Limited Liability), are required to send in same at once.

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Dated this 25th day of July, A.D. 1893.

VICTORIA BREWING & ICE CO.,
Limited Liability.
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jy23 Limited Liability.

THE PROVINCIAL CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT AND AMENDMENT ACT.

In the Election Petition for Cariboo Electoral District, holden on the 24th day of August, 1892, in which William Morrison is Petitioner and Hugh Watt is Respondent.

Notice is hereby given that the above Petitioner has, on the 15th day of July, 1893, lodged in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court in Victoria notice of an application to withdraw the petition, of which notice the following is a copy:

"IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

"The Provincial Controverted Elections Act "and Amendment Act.

"Election for Cariboo Electoral District, "holden on the 24th day of August in the year "1892.

"Between William Morrison, Petitioner,
"and
"Hugh Watt, Respondent.

"The petitioner proposes to apply to withdraw "his petition upon the following ground namely, that since the date when the signed petition "was presented several persons who are the "most important witnesses on the petitioner's "behalf have departed entirely out of the reach "of the petitioner, and it is now impossible to "obtain their testimony, and prays that a day "may be appointed for hearing his application

"Dated this 27th day of May, 1893.

"WM MORRISON."

And take notice that by the Rule made by the Judges any person who might have been a petitioner in respect of the said election, may within five days after publication by the Returning Officer of this notice, give notice in writing of his intention on the hearing to apply for leave to be substituted as a petitioner.

EBERTS & TAYLOR,
30 Langley street, Victoria,
jul22 Agents for the Petitioner

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Dated this 18th day of July, 1893, at the City of Victoria.

JOS. H. BROWN.
jy19 JOSEPH MEUNIER.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned as Grocers and Provision Merchants in the City of Victoria, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Frederick Carne, Jun'r, at Victoria aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Frederick Carne, Jun'r, by whom the same will be settled

Dated at Victoria, this 28th day of June, A.D. 1893.

FREDERICK CARNE, JR.
WILLIAM MUNSIE.
Witness—F. A. GOWEN.

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The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, May 28th, 1893.

AT THE EXPOSITION.

A British Columbian's Impressions of Chicago—Intense Heat—Hurry and Bustle.

The Fair Well Worth a Visit—Dominion Day Celebration—Mayor Carter Harrison.

(Written for the COLONIST.)

CHICAGO, July 16.—You will pardon me for my intrusion again, but can you perhaps tell why old Sol has levelled his hot sun rays directly upon the city of Chicago and the fair? He has actually kept up a steady fire ever since. There have been several suggestions made how to turn those rays in some other direction, one man (an old citizen) suggesting to climb up on top of the Masonic temple, but as the above structure is not quiet high enough, a syndicate has been gotten up to build a sort of a Babylon main tower, to swing the sun rays in some other direction, it is not known yet whether on New York or the Pacific Coast. I am in the hopes, however, it will not be the latter, as I have still a good many friends there. For the present we are suffering, and you Victorians especially, that are continually basking in the mild and salubrious climate of the Pacific northwest, should bear us out in our troubles and sympathize with us.

Decollete shirts are altogether in fashion, and every prudent man carries at least three handkerchiefs; green and white umbrellas are seen everywhere, and the official thermometer is registering way up into the 90's and still going upwards. Dozens of people succumb daily to sunstroke. Citizens, however, say this is an exceptional summer, but as they said this also last summer, I am thinking that they are either very forgetful, or wilful liars. It is really pitiful to see fellows in starched shirts (the starch running down the front) and wilted collars, with faces as red as a boiled lobster, handkerchief in one hand and a fan in the other, trying to keep cool. It's an ill wind that blows someone no good; the lemonade man, at least, thought so yesterday. Several panics happened in front of the dispensers of citric acid, the sugar and water man; the ice cream man also came in for a good share of the excitement. Of course we get thunder-showers now and then, but people would rather (in spite of the heat) that these thunder-showers would not come, as they generally come accompanied by a small-sized cyclone, and things have to be cleared out of its way in a hurry. For instance, one of these summer thunder-showers, accompanied by a cyclone, came last Sunday, the 7th inst. It was all over in twenty minutes, shower and all, but twenty-two people found watery graves in Lake Michigan, that is positively known, and a good many are missing. That never can be known however.

Chicago is a great city, and everything she has or does is on equally as large a scale. Even her second-class fires are no slouches, and would be considered great in cities of lesser importance. Another instance was a fire in Midway Plaisance, on the Monday following, in the cold storage warehouse, when seventeen of her bravest fire laddies lost their lives. Then there are things and happenings of smaller importance, such as brick buildings falling in, where sometimes five or seven people are buried beneath the ruins, not to say anything about a person or two killed daily from cable cars and railroad crossings.

In short, people are so used to these every day occurrences that hardly a passing remark is made. In fact, the people here have no time to dwell on minor matters of this sort It is "stand out of the way or get crushed," and if you are in the crowd, as there are crowds everywhere, then you must expect to get crushed, and be satisfied. Of course, now and then, the press of Chicago rises up and complains a little; but that's only in exceptional cases, say, for instance, where a couple of dozen or so lose their lives. But where there are only two or three victims, if they happen to be poor people, mention is hardly ever made of it. Nevertheless, do not be frightened in the least, but come to see this great fair. Chicago has had on her holiday attire since May, and is catering to the public in truly royal fashion. Of course, you must come well provided with necessaries, such as linen dusters, a good stock of hankerchiefs, plenty of fans, hartshorn, and last, but not least, your pocketbook well filled. Chicago is very mindful of the latter.

Dominion Day was celebrated in good old fashion in the Dominion section at the World's Fair, and would have been a pleasing event long to be remembered had it not been for Mayor Harrison, to a large extent, spoiling it. You see, the Mayor was invited as one of the orators of the day, and he at once started in with the Annexation problem. The people looked perplexed and bewildered, and there were cries and hisses from all over the house, but the worthy Mayor kept up his prattle until a recent arrival from British Columbia had the courage to jump up, grasp the flag and wave it before the people. The people cheered and then the Mayor finally branched off on another topic, and the next day when questioned he (the Mayor) said he was only joking. I would write you something on the grandeur of the Fair, but as no pen picture will ever do it half justice, I will only say, come and see for yourself.

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WOMAN'S WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS.

The Kind of Women That Get the Best Husbands.

A paragraph I have just read in Haryot Holt Cahoon's new book, "What One Woman Thinks," has interested and amused me not a little. It is from the chapter on "Wives." Mrs. Cahoon has not been in this world for nothing. She has found out among other things what kind of women always get the best husbands. She says: "The selfish wife and the frivolous wife get the best husbands. They make them. They could take the truant husband of the delicate, complaining wife and of the tearful wife and make model men of them. They know how. The man who uses his wife for a doormat could even be made over by the selfish wife. He would be as much surprised as anybody by the transformation she would bring about. * * * The complaining, fault finding wife usually gets a good husband. He grows patient and tolerant of the increasing woes of his better half. Sometimes he wonders what she will worry about next. He grows slow of speech as years roll on, and his shoulders bend a good deal. He doesn't have a very good time, but he never complains. He lets her do all the complaining." Of the wife of the future Mrs. Cahoon writes: "The strongest weapon of the successful wife is strategy. She is the power behind the throne, and she rules by artifice. The wife of the future will be the power on the throne, and she will rule naturally because she is capable of ruling. The wife of the future will do her own thinking. Her day has already dawned. The few women who have opened their eyes are called advanced women. The advanced woman is the woman who is ahead of her time. But the time will catch up with her one of these days. It is impossible to say what the world will do when woman is developed. The adage, 'A good wife makes a good husband,' offers woman a mere hint of the imperfection of her work through past ages. It is high time she was up and doing. The self respecting wife is the wife who demands and receives. Woman is the maker of the human race. She is above the angels. How can she excuse herself for her inefficiency?"

Life to me would be a drear blank indeed without the sweet, sympathetic comradeship of my women chums.

The constantly increasing employment of women and girls in new occupations is very gratifying. It is said that filing places at the World's fair grounds are 25,000 women clerks, stenographers and typewriters, while half of the persons engaged about the exhibits are women. But there is one old tradition that women must see to it is exploded before they can advance any further. It is to the effect that there must always be a man boss at the head of every enterprise. Let ladies start business for themselves. The work of our sex thus far with few exceptions is in subordinate positions at comparatively small wages. Often women do the real work at an office for a figurehead in trousers that gets four times their pay. It is a necessary accompaniment of our transition stage in the industries. Let us strike for the highest and be satisfied with nothing less—the highest work and the highest wages. Wherever a man is engaged in the same kind of occupation that we are, as for instance stenography, clerical positions, teaching, etc., let us accomplish ourselves in that chosen line till we can do more and better work in it than any man we know. To the determined all things yield. Then, having fitted ourselves for the highest, let us make it ours.

Mr. Henry B. Blackwell appeals to women everywhere to make a determined effort this summer and fall and see that none but men favorable to woman's progress are nominated for members of state legislatures. It is through the state legislatures that school and municipal suffrage must come.

"I believe that women should stand by women in the criminal courts," says Mrs. Ellen Henrotin. Yes, and everywhere else!

The societies known as the Colonial Dames and Daughters of the American Revolution will of course in a short time become the most eminent authorities on American history on this continent, for of course the members spend much time in studying the history of their country and sifting, discussing and verifying it in all its branches, domestic, political, commercial and military. Of course that was largely the object of organizing such societies and thus doing a great historical work for their native country. Of course!

St. Paul is just the nicest city in this republic. Men and women belong to the Press club there on an exact equality. A brilliant and good looking little woman, Mrs. Steele, is court reporter for The Pioneer Press newspaper, being the only lady, so far as I know, who goes into a courtroom and reports law trials daily for a newspaper. Besides all this, St. Paul pays men and women teachers in the public schools the same wages for the same work. In both good looks and progressiveness St. Paul is a city that puts to shame nearly all the older places in America.

The Woman's Journal calls attention to the fact that every new political organization instinctively makes woman suffrage a leading issue. The old political organizations must take a hint from this example if they wish to keep on top.

Dr. Harriette O. McCalmont, a graduate of the Pennsylvania Medical college, has been appointed assistant physician resident at the Pennsylvania State Hospital For the Insane at Warren.

In Loveland, Colo., Mrs. E. M. Johnson is serving her second term as president of the board of education.

Every nice old tabby in this country or Europe who writes about doing housework thinks it is just the occupation for other people's girls.

Annie Taylor, the English girl traveler, penetrated farther into Thibet than any masculine explorer has yet been able to do.

ELIZA ARCHARD CONNER.

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

The Market Receives More Effective Support Against the "Bears" Than for Some Time.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Pacific Railroad bonds closed as follows: Union firsts, 102 bid; Union Sinking Funds, 95 bid; Centrals, 100 bid. Money on call 4 to 6. Sterling, 4.81½ for sixty days, 4 85 on demand. The traders at the Stock Exchange played for a reaction to-day on the theory that yesterday's sharp rise would bring "long" stocks to market. They were assisted in their operations by the breaking out of fresh troubles in banking circles in Chicago; by the advance in the Bank of England rate of discount, and the higher rates for sterling exchange here, also by the unprecedented scarcity of currency, for which various premiums were paid to-day. The large issue of clearing house certificates was still another cause for the decline. It was noticeable, however, that, despite the efforts of the "bears," the market was comparatively free from excitement, and that the drop in prices was brought about at the expense of a material increase in the short interest. At the start some stocks scored a sharp advance. Subsequently the market yielded 1 to 6⅜ per cent, the latter in Chicago. Just previous to the close there was a rally of ½ to 2 per cent., the latter in Burlington & Quincy and speculation left off steady at the recovery. Taken altogether, the market received more effective support when raided than for many day past. The sales aggregated 311,360 shares, including 68,048 unlisted. Closing bids: Canadian Pacific, 70½; Central Pacific, 19; Denver and Rio Grande, 10; Wells Fargo, 130; Great Northern preferred, 103; Missouri Pacific, 21; North American, 5⅝; Northern Pacific, 8¼; Northern Pacific preferred, 22½; North Western, 94¼; Oregon Navigation, 42½; Oregon Improvement, 10; Pacific Mail, 10½; Texas Pacific, 5⅝; Union Pacific, 19¾; Western Union, 75½; Bar Silver, 70⅜.

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TENDERS.

NOTICE.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of

SATURDAY, 5TH AUGUST,

For the purchase of the dwelling house and out buildings appertaining thereto, which are upon the property facing

Birdcage : Walk,

FORMERLY OWNED BY THE

LATE A. A. GREEN.

The purchaser will be required to remove the buildings from off the premises forthwith.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of L. and W.
Victoria, B.C., 29th July, 1893. jy30

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

—OF—

Desirable Farm

SEALED TENDERS

for the purchase of the undermentioned property will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock on 15th inst.—highest or any tender not necessarily accepted—viz.: Sections 16, 17 and 18, Range 1 East, North Saanich, now occupied by Mow Long, comprising 200 acres, more or less, under high state of cultivation, and being one of the most desirable farms in Saanich. Full particulars on application.

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TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to the 14th August, 1893, for the purchase of the freehold property situate in the District of Esquimalt, and known as and numbered upon the map numbered 265 in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, Lots 6, 7, 8, 29, 30 and 31, which lots form part of Block VII. of Lot 29, Section 11 (eleven), Esquimalt District, known as Viewfield Farm.

The property is just beyond the city limits and fronts on the Esquimalt Road.

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A BY-LAW.

No. 200.

RATES AND TAXES BY-LAW, 1893.

THE Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:—

Sec. 1. There is hereby settled, imposed and levied, and there shall be raised and collected an equal rate of thirteen mills on the dollar upon all land upon the assessment roll for the year 1893 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at its assessed value thereon.

Sec. 2. There is hereby settled, imposed and levied, and there shall be raised and collected an equal rate of twelve mills on the dollar upon all improvements upon the assessment roll for the year 1893, of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at their assessed value thereon.

Sec. 3. For the purpose of raising money to create a fund to defray expenses connected with the Board of Health, all land in the City of Victoria is hereby assessed at its value as assessed upon the assessment roll of the said Corporation for the year 1893, and for the like purpose there shall be levied and collected thereon a special rate of six mills on the dollar.

Sec. 4. The aforesaid rates and taxes shall be due and payable to the Collector of the said Corporation at his office at the City Hall, Victoria, on the thirtieth day of August, A. D. 1893, and all persons who pay the aforesaid rates or taxes on or before the thirty-first day of October, A.D., 1893, shall be entitled to a discount or reduction of one-sixth of the amount thereof.

Sec. 5. The rates and taxes on land or on improvements which are unpaid on the 31st day of December, A.D 1893, shall bear interest therefrom until paid in full, at the rate of seven per centum per annum thereon.

Sec. 6. The terms "land" or "improvements," as used in this by-law, shall have the meaning set forth in section two of the Municipal Act, 1892, as amended in the Municipal Act Amendment Act, 1893.

Sec. 7. Any by law or by-laws containing any provision or provisions which may be or which are inconsistent with or repugnant to the provisions of this by law is, and are hereby repealed, in so far only as the same are so inconsistent or repugnant, but not otherwise, so as that full force and effect shall be given to the provisions of this by-law.

Sec 8. This by-law may be cited as "Tax By-Law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council the 19th day of July, 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the Council this 24th day of July, 1893.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN,
Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 24th day of July, 1893, and all persons are required to take notice that any one desirous of applying to have such by-law or any section thereof quashed must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Notice to Water Consumers

The attention of Consumers of Water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Section 19 of the "Waterworks Regulation By-Law, 1885," which provides that

From the 1st day of April to the 13th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Waterworks shall use such water for irrigating or street sprinkling except during the hours between 5 o'clock in the evening and 9 o'clock in the following morning, and on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

IN CENTRAL WARD, on Mondays and Thursdays.

IN SOUTH WARD, on Tuesdays and Fridays; and

IN NORTH WARD, on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

And the water of the said Waterworks shall not be used for irrigating or for street sprinkling outside the limits of the said City.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., June 5th, 1893. jy27

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NOTICES.

No. 199.

A BY-LAW

To Authorize the Sale of Lands within the City of Victoria upon which Taxes have been due and in arrear for two years.

WHEREAS it is expedient that all lands or improvements or real property within the limits of the Corporation of the City of Victoria upon which municipal taxes have been due and in arrear for two years shall be sold and the proceeds applied in the reduction of such taxes:

Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. The Collector of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria is hereby authorized and directed whensoever taxes on any land or improvements or real property have been due for two years preceding the current year, to submit to the Mayor of the City of Victoria a list, in duplicate, of all the lands or improvements or real property liable, under the provisions of this by-law, to be sold for taxes, with the amount of arrears against each lot set opposite to the same, and the Mayor shall authenticate such list by affixing thereto the seal of the Corporation and his signature, and one of such lists shall be deposited with the Clerk of the Corporation and the other shall be returned to the Collector with a warrant thereto annexed under the hand of the Mayor and the seal of the Corporation commanding him to levy upon the land or improvements or real property for the arrears due thereon with his costs.

2. It shall not be the duty of the collector to make enquiry before effecting a sale of lands or improvements or real property for taxes to ascertain whether or not there is any distress upon the land, nor shall he be bound to enquire into or form any opinion of the value of the the land or improvements or real property.

3. The Collector shall prepare a copy of the list of lands or improvements or real property to be sold and shall include therein in a separate column, a statement of the proportion of costs chargeable on each lot for advertising and for the commissions authorized by this by-law to be paid to him, and shall cause a copy of such list to be printed for a period of one month preceding the date of such intended sale in some newspaper published in the City of Victoria.

4. The advertisement shall contain a notification that unless the arrears and costs are sooner paid he will proceed to sell the lands or improvements or real property for the taxes on a day, a time, and at a place named in the advertisement.

5. The Collector shall at least two months before the time of sale also deliver to or deposit in the post office to the address of the owner of such property which is to be sold for taxes as aforesaid, or to the agent of such owner, a notice in writing of the amount of taxes due, and that the property is to be sold for arrears so due, and in case the address of the owner or agent is unknown a notice to the same effect shall be posted upon the land intended to be sold, and also at least two months before the time of sale post a notice similar to the above advertisement in some convenient and public places, that is to say, at the Council Chambers, Victoria, and in the Post Office Building, Victoria.

6. The day of sale shall be the thirty-third day after the first publication in a newspaper of such list, exclusive of the day of such publication, except in case the said thirty-third day shall fall on a Sunday or holiday, in which case such sale shall take place on the following day at the Council Chambers in the City of Victoria, and shall begin at twelve o'clock noon.

7. If at any time appointed for the sale of the land- or improvements or real property no bidders appear the Collector may adjourn the sale from time to time.

8. If the taxes have not been previously collected, or if no one appears to pay the same at the time and place appointed for the sale, the Collector shall sell at public auction so much of the land or improvements or real property as may be sufficient to discharge the taxes and all lawful charges incurred in and about the sale and the collection of the taxes, selling in preference such part as he may consider best for the owner to sell first, and in offering such lands or improvements or real property for sale it shall not be necessary to describe particularly the portion of the lot or section which shall be sold, but it will be sufficient to say that he will sell so much of the lot or section as shall be necessary to secure the payment of the taxes due, and the amount of taxes stated in the advertisement shall in all cases be *prima facie* evidence of the correct amount due.

9. If the Collector fails at such sale to sell such land or improvements or real property for the full amount of arrears of the taxes due he shall at such sale adjourn the same until a day be publicly named by him, not earlier than one week nor later than three months thereafter, of which adjourned sale he shall give notice by advertisement in the newspaper in which the original notice was advertised, and on such day he shall sell such lands or improvements or real property for any sum he can realize, and shall accept such sum as full payment for such arrears of taxes.

10. If the purchaser of any property or parcel of land fails immediately to pay the Collector the amount of the purchase money, the Collector shall forthwith again put up the property for sale.

11. Immediately after every sale the Collector shall return a list of the arrears satisfied by such sale to the Clerk of the Corporation, and shall at the same time pay in the proceeds to the Treasurer of the said Corporation.

12. The Collector shall be entitled to five per centum commission upon the sums collected by him as aforesaid.

13. This by-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale By-law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council the 10th day of July, A.D 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council this 17th day of July, A.D. 1893.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN,
Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 17th day of July, A.D. 1893, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the *British Columbia Gazette*, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

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1.30 pm	72	. Port Townsend .	38	11.45 pm
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	45	.....Kingston.....	41	
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" 8. 4	" 3.16	4	......Esquimalt......	74	" 12.10	" 7 4
" 8.39	" 3.36	11	.....Goldstream......	67	" 11.45	" 7.28
" 9 14	" 4.05	20	....Summit Siding ...	58	" 11.10	" 6.59
" 9.34	" 4.2	28	...Shawnigan Lake..	50	" 10.50	" 6 37
" 9.44	" 4 37	31	.....Cobble Hill......	47	" 10.40	" 6.27
" 9.57	" 4.49	35	.....McPherson's.....	43	" 10.27	" 6 15
" 10.07	" 4.59	38	.......Koksilah......	40	" 10.17	" 6.05
" 10.12	" 5.04	40	.......Duncan's.......	38	" 10.12	" 6.00
" 10.22	" 5.12	43	.......Somenos........	35	" 10.02	" 5.52
" 10.48	" 5.32	52	.....Chemainus......	26	" 9.36	" 5.32
" 11 09	" 5.49	59	..Oyster Bay Siding..	19	" 9 15	" 5.15
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Ar. 12.14	Ar. 6.34	78	......Wellington.....		De. 8.10	De. 4.30
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FRIDAY, AUGUST 4, 1893.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, August 4, 1893.

Sun rises .....4:47 a.m. | Sun sets ......7:24 p m.
Moon rises, 10:34 p.m.

Day of the year—216th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. slower than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, August 3, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p. m.

1 a. m..	54°	Mean	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	51°	58°	
9 a. m..	56°	Highest	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	62°	70°	1 p.m.—8 S.
5 p. m..	66°	Lowest	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	59°	51°	Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Clear.

E BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—Geo Jarrett and wife, J G Knuckey and wife, Mrs Taylor and mother and child, Park Henderson, E L McIntosh and wife, Miss Barton, Mrs Ulin, C B Hamilton and wife, J C Nixon, A S Collins, E B Ernsberger, Mrs F rer, R Taylor and wife, C H Hall, L Netherby, Miss Peterson, J M Lowndsdale, B G Prior, Mrs H Colinson, Wm Tracy, Mrs Sixler, Mrs F Crawford, Miss Mitchell, Wm Brown, Mrs Spray, Mrs Sullivan, A F Daniel, J W Moore and wife, Miss Boynton, Miss Lee, Mrs C G Butler, Mrs Summerfield D Hanington, Mrs McNeil, G E Ames, Jas McIntosh, J F McCung and wife, J B Cuthbertson, Miss Hyre, W S Kent and son, J Stegman, Mrs Cameron, R Watson and wife, H Traft, Geo Hand, A J Taylor, J C Calbreath, C F Jones, Joe Castili, Jno reed, M D Monsarat and wife, E Crow Baker, Mrs McCabe and sister, Miss L Fogg, Chas Kent, C L Smith J H Henderson, J Morgan, E Marshall, W L Phillips W B Frye, H E Lary, Geo Andrews, C Foley, C Bergeson.

Per Steamer PREMIER from Vancouver—C L Lewis, F J Tallant, E S Peters, Miss Robertson, H Mitchell, E Connin, R D Trevor, H M Jorden, Captain Lee, J Beck, Chas Perry, T H Kerr, E Jones, J M Paul, Miss J Westly, J D Breeze, F Churchill, Geo Stevenson F S Barnard, Mrs Snyder, W D Charlton, Robt Perry, J H Webber, A A Baxter, Mrs Robertson, Mrs Lee, D Todd, A D Macdonald, John Searl, Capt Babbington, J Hacket, J T Haggard S R Betts.

CONSIGNEES.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—Lenz & L. B Crawford, M Cohen, S Sakashita, T Dunn & Co, M W Waitt & Co, C T W Piper, H E Levy.

Per Steamer PREMIER from Vancouver.—H Saunders, Fell & Co, J & A Clearihue, S Leiser, Wilson Bros, Parson Produce Co, C Cookson, S L Kelly, T Earl, H Creech, Dom Exp Co.

BIRTH.

JACOBSON—In this city, August 3, the wife of Capt. Victor Jacobson, of a son.

DIED.

MEBINS—At Cedar Hill, on the 3rd inst., Charles Frederick Ernest Mebins, aged 65 years, a native of Meissen, Germany.

The funeral will leave his late residence on Saturday, at 2 p. m. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

BROWN—In this city, on the 2nd inst., Robert Anderson, infant son of Barbara Cameron and R. A. Brown, aged 7 months and 22 days.

THE EXPOSITION FIRE.

Extensive Looting of the Cold Storage Warehouse Before It Was Burned.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Evidence of a startling nature, concerning the cold storage warehouse fire, was taken by the Grand Jury to-day. The witness who gave this startling testimony was John J. Duggan, formerly a Stoney Island Avenue saloon keeper, and the man who first told of the looting of the cold storage warehouses and firing by a gang of robbers. He was flushed and excited with the inquisition he had undergone, but said he had made a clean breast of it. According to Duggan there were 150 men concerned in the conspiracy, and he declared that he had given their names to the Grand Jury. He said that from the opening of the exposition right up to the time of the fire, goods were stolen, or at least removed, from the cold storage warehouse by the wagon load. The wagons used were express wagons generally, though he had known of water carts going out of the gates with their tanks filled with hams, bottles of wine and other stock. "Who removed these goods?" was asked "Employes of the cold storage warehouse and a gang that live on Stoney Island avenue, just outside the grounds " "Did you give evidence that would implicate criminally the persons who removed the goods?" "Yes, there will be a sensation when this whole thing comes out. There are about 150 implicated. I have given the names to the jury." More witnesses in regard to the affair will be called to-morrow.

"A MYSTERY OF THE SEA."

LONDON, Aug. 3.—The Board of Trade report on the loss, in February, of the White Star liner Naronic, has just been issued. The construction and equipment of the steamer, the report says, were in every way satisfactory; the vessel was sailed by experienced and reliable seamen, and she was not insured. From circumstantial evidence it is thought to be highly probable that she came into collision with an iceberg, as her cargo was not of the nature to ignite spontaneously or explode. Having exhausted every possible explanation the committee having the matter in charge is forced to the conclusion that the loss of the Naronic adds one more to the mysteries of the sea.

Important Notice.

The old and well-known firm of Lange & Co., Watchmakers and Jewelers, have removed their place of business from Government street to No. 86 Douglas street, where they will continue to sell off their stock at cost. All repairs of watches, and other orders sent us will be attended to as usual. *

There will be no formal vacation at the Conservatory of Music this summer, as Miss Adams has decided to continue the course of studies, both vocal and instrumental, throughout the season. In the former branch Mrs. Laird's contract having expired, her position will be filled by a thoroughly qualified teacher, capable of teaching sight singing and giving class lessons.

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Canoe Events for the James Bays' Regatta—The "Navahoe" Out of It.

To Select the Ottawa Team—Tennis Champion Beaten at Hamilton.

The series of handicaps was continued yesterday, the play between Messrs. Langley and Parkes being very evenly contested. The results were:

J F. Fowlkes (owe 30) beat G. H. Barnard (received 15) 3-6, 6-4, 6-2.

W. H. Langley (received 15) beat G. E. Parkes, 5-6, 6-4, 11-9.

TO DAY'S EVENTS.

W. A. Ward (receives 15 and 2-4 of 15) vs. C. R Longe (owes 30); the winner to play W. H. Langley (receives 15).

Mr. Longe is getting back to his old form again, so that to day promises some capital play. Next come the finals, which will be decided during tournament week.

THE CANADIAN CHAMPION DEFEATED.

HAMILTON, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—In the tennis tournament here W. A. Boyes, of Barrie, beat E O. Avery, of Detroit. Avery won the Canadian championship in Toronto last week.

CRICKET.

BLUEJACKETS V. VICTORIA.

An eleven of Bluejackets from the Royal Arthur beat a team of ten of the Victoria Cricket club at Caledonia park yesterday afternoon. Victoria went to bat first and were disposed of for 30 runs, Mr. Perry's 13 being the highest score, Mr. Owens coming next with 7 to his credit. The swift bowling of Wright and Lawrence proved disastrous to the Victoria team, and the fielding of the bluejackets was also remarkably good. When it came the bluejackets turn to go to the wickets they rolled together a score of 62 before they retired—and won the match. Lashley and Barff put in fine steady work at the bat, while Owens' bowling for Victoria was exceptionally good. A feature of the innings was a fine catch by Foster at long field which put out Reid. A return match will be played on Thursday afternoon at Caledonia park. Following are the scors:

Bluejackets.

Lashley, b Barff	20
Wright, b Barff	10
Amos, c Pinder, b Owens	13
Brown, c Pinder, b Owens	8
Coombs, c Swinerton, b Applegath	3
Lawrence, b Applegath	1
William, b Owens	3
Bunday b Applegath	0
Reid, c Foster, b Owens	0
Cowell, b Applegath	0
Carpenter, not out	0
Extras	4
Total	62

Victoria C. C.

C. E. Pooley, run out, b Lawrence	4
Barff, c Brown, b Lawrence	1
Applegath, c and b Wright	5
Heath, st Lashley, b Wright	5
Perry, c Lashley, b Lawrence	8
Pegram, b Lawrence	0
Owens, c and b Lawrence	7
Foster, b Wright	2
Pinder, c Wright, b Lawrence	1
Swinerton, not out	0
Extras	1
Total	31

AQUATIC.

INTERESTING CANOE EVENTS.

The regatta committee of the James Bay Athletic association have decided to place the following canoe events on the club's programme for the 26th instant:

1—Single paddle (single blade).
2—Tandem race.
3—Four paddle race.
4—Sailing match.
5—Upset race.
6—Thirteen paddles (Siwash canoes). J.B. A. A. v. Victoria Canoe club.

The above events to be open to all amateurs.

THE FAIR WEATHER FLYER.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—The yacht race for the Meteor challenge shield presented by the German Emperor, was the chief event to-day, the course being about 160 miles. Although there were six entries, only two started, the Prince of Wales' Britannia, and A. D. Clarke's Satanita. The Britannia won, the Satanita coming home half an hour behind time. The race for the Town prize also took place to-day off the Isle of Wight, with the wind blowing a stiff gale, which proved altogether too much for the American yacht Navahoe. She became unmanageable and nearly capsized. Her main sail carried away and fell, but was hoisted again and after double reefing all sail she ran for Southampton and decided to give up the contest. Everyone who saw the Navahoe heading for Southampton believed she had carried some part of her rigging away. The race was won by the Satanita, which beat the Valkyrie eight minutes. The Navahoe may be able to take part in the racing to-morrow.

THE GUN.

TO WIND UP THE SEASON.

The Victoria Gun club will hold their adjourned monthly meeting on Tuesday at 8 p m., to wind up the business of the season. It is hoped that all members will make it convenient to attend, as the list of business, though not very extensive, requires to be disposed of at once.

THE RIFLE.

THE TEAM FOR OTTAWA.

A special meeting of the executive of the British Columbia Rifle association has been called for to-morrow evening, by which time it is expected that replies will have been received from all eligible for the Ottawa trip, so that at the meeting the composition of team can be definitely decided. The business in connection with the recent Goldstream meeting will also be disposed of in all probability.

THE RING.

CORBETT AND FITZSIMMONS FRIENDS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Bob Fitzsimmons and Jim Corbett have patched up their grievance and become friends again. Corbett walked over to where Fitzsimmons was talking to Dick Abrahams and said, "How do you do." Fitzsimmons noticed this and kept quiet. Corbett stretched out his hand and greeted the ex-Australian warmly. "I am awfully glad to see you," exclaimed Jim with ferver. "And I am delighted to see you," returned Fitzsimmons with a smile. This is the first time the two pugilists have met since their "run in" at New Orleans on the night when Corbett defeated Sullivan.

MOTHERS AND NURSES.

All who have the care of children should know that Dr Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry may be confidently depended on to cure all summer complaints diarrhœa, dysentery, cramps, colic, cholera infantum cholera morbus, canker, etc., in children or adults.

Madame Laird,

Having resigned her position at the Conservatory of Music, has opened a Studio for instruction in vocal music, at her residence, 161 Vancouver street, corner of Pandora.

SATISFACTORILY SETTLED.

Nanaimo Miners Agree to the Proposed Reductions of Pay and Output.

Mr. Robins Explains the Situation and Publicly Thanks the V. C. Co.'s Employes.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

NANAIMO, Aug. 3.—A settlement has been effected and the Nanaimo miners and all the employes of the New Vancouver Coal Co. return to work for the next three months. The output will be limited to half the usual amount. At to-day's meeting a majority voted in favor of Mr. Robins' proposed reduction of 20 per cent. on all earning wages of $3 and over per day, and 10 per cent. from those earning less.

Mr. Robins himself addressed the men this morning and spoke for nearly an hour. He explained the position of the company, pointed out the absolute necessity for a temporary reduction of wages and earnestly appealed to the men to stand by the Company. He said that during the last eighteen months the Company has been losing money. Every half year there was no dividend and though the accounts had not been rendered for the current six months, he knew that there would be no dividend, or if one were declared it would be derived from another source and not from any profits accruing from the mines. Things have been going on for many years in that way. Probably the company would have only wanted a reduction of five per cent. at the present time, but the financial crisis came. They asked in vain of their customers for cash. Then the time came to think of prompt measures to deal with this most serious situation. To have shut down altogether would have appeared to 99 out of 100 the simplest way out of the difficulty. But, it was as with a storekeeper, if you do close up you do not know whether on reopening you will have any customers at all. Still, it might be better to face that uncertainty than to go on raising coal and having to pay for it. He believed that if his audience could rid their minds of the idea that his proposition was an underhand attempt to cut down wages there would be no objections raised. Under the circumstances it seemed to him only rational to make such a proposal.

After Mr. Robins' speech the men decided to take a secret ballot for or against the proposed reduction. This was done, with the result that 380 voted for it whilst 90 were against. Everyone is delighted that the matter was settled without trouble, while all regret the necessity which compels so many to suffer a reduction in their pay.

Mr. Robins has publicly thanked the employes for the manner in which they have met him in this crisis.

CABLE NEWS.

Explosion on a German Ironclad.

BERLIN, Aug. 3.—A disastrous explosion took place on board the German armor-clad steamer Baden, at Kiel. Lieuts. Olsener and Zembach and seven seamen were killed and seventeen persons wounded. It appears some men had just removed from the magazine a grenade measuring twenty-six centimeters in diameter. Through some cause not yet explained the grenade exploded, killing or wounding nearly every person in the immediate neighborhood. The Baden is a vessel of 5,000 tons. She was launched in 1880, mounts eight large guns, and has armor ten inches thick at the water line.

Relief for Miners' Families.

LONDON, August 3.—The Miners' Relief committee, which has charge of the disposition of the funds collected for the families of the 139 miners who lost their lives in the recent colliery disaster at Thornhill, near Dewsbury, in Yorkshire, has passed a special address of thanks to Hon. T. F. Bayard, United States ambassador to Great Britain, for his letter of sympathy and the cheque for $25 with which it was accompanied. It is said that this is the first time that a minister from a foreign country has made a contribution towards a miners' relief fund.

Charles de Lesseps.

PARIS, Aug. 3.—Charles de Lesseps, escorted by detectives, was taken from prison on Wednesday, and allowed to visit his wife, who is dangerously ill. After a brief interview he was taken back to the prison hospital.

More About Cholera.

LONDON, Aug 3.—There have been 666 deaths from cholera in Mecca and 318 in Jedda since the present epidemic broke out.

ODESSA, Aug 3.—The Government is closing all the schools in the South of Russia on account of the prevalence of cholera. Twenty doctors have gone to the Caucasus, and fourteen to Podolia.

The engineer of a Danish trawler has been taken to the hospital in Grimsby suffering with cholera.

DEATHS FROM CHOLERA.

The Facts Regarding Naples Declared to Have Been Understated.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—The Rome correspondent of the Central News says: "Since the outbreak of Cholera in Naples more than 100,000 residents have fled from there. The official reports greatly understated the facts. The report for Sunday last said that there were nineteen cases and nine deaths. Reliable private advices declare that there were fifty-two new cases and twenty-eight deaths on that day, and forty-nine new cases and twenty-seven deaths on Monday. The official figures for Tuesday are eighteen new cases and six deaths. Several cases of cholera have occurred in Rome.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Nearly a Third of the Capital of the Island of Mauritius Burned.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—The Paris correspondent of the Times says that nearly one-third of the town of Fort Louis, the capital of the Island of Mauritius was destroyed by fire on July 23. Eight streets were burned, including the Rue de la Chasseu, the principal commercial thoroughfare. About two hundred houses were consumed. The loss amounts to more than 1,000,000 rupees.

NOT EXTRADITED.

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—Alfred Morrisette, the alleged forger and fugitive from the Dominion of Canada, was before Judge Nelson, in the United States Circuit court, to-day. James Dunbar, Q.C., crown prosecutor for the District of Quebec, read two depositions of Mailloux and Eustache Germain, both of whom were accomplices of Morrisette. The testimony was very damaging to the alleged criminal, but Judge Nelson was of the opinion that the testimony could not be relied upon, and furthermore, that no judge in Quebec would convict Morrisette on such evidence.

Mr. Dunbar pleaded to have the prisoner extradited, saying that he did not wish to have the man convicted, but to be extradited under the new treaty, and that it was probable that the Canadian government would find additional evidence to convict him at the trial. Mr. Dunbar cited cases and quoted law, and then urged that the petition of the Canadian government be granted.

Judge Nelson took the case under advisement, and this afternoon discharged Morrisette.

Scrofula in the Neck

The following is from Mrs. J. W. Tillbrook, wife of the Mayor of McKeesport, Penn.:

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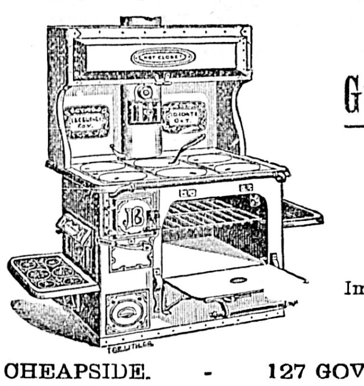

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